

**OLDEST BUSINESS
MAN CELEBRATES****NAT SISSON TODAY CELEBRATES
BUSINESS START HERE.****STARTED 48 YEARS AGO****This Morning He Came Down to Same
Office Before Other Employees
—Early Reminiscences.**

Forty-eight years ago this morning, Nathaniel Sisson, a young Maryville business man of 29, opened up a real estate, loan and abstract business in Nodaway Valley Bank building. Full of vim and vigor this young man took the flight of stairs two steps at a time, swept the office and started business.

Early this morning, long before any of the other members or employees of the Sisson Loan and Title Company were at the office, Nathaniel Sisson, 78 next month, dean of Maryville business men, came down to the office, was able to take two steps at a time, straightened up the office and started business as he had forty-eight years ago.

After getting the business for the day started, Mr. Sisson went down to the residence of L. A. Conder on First and Buchanan streets, where he was living at the time he began business, and looked over the old home place. When seen by a Democrat-Forum reporter this morning he was enjoying the April sunshine and talking with Newt Wray about the first political convention held in Maryville after the Civil War.

"They had trouble in politics then the same as they do now," said Mr. Sisson. "After the ticket had been selected a Republican ticket you understand; there were no Democrats here for all of them were in the rebel army, the howl was raised that there were too many Terhunes on the ticket. Finally L. H. Case, a relative of Terhune, was persuaded to withdraw from the ticket and Andrew Royal substituted in his place for probate judge. There were two Republican tickets in the field then."

"This convention was held in September, 1866, in the courthouse. Newt Wray was on the ticket, W. L. Johnson was named for county treasurer and John C. Terhune for circuit clerk and recorder. A. C. Votaw, editor of the Maryville Gazette, presided at the meeting."

"I was an applicant as a school teacher then," said Mr. Sisson, "and Mr. Votaw, in examining me just asked me two questions. He took me out behind the courthouse under a shade tree and said, 'Are you from Ohio?' I told him I was, then he asked, 'Do you have a teaching certificate?' I said yes, and the examination was over."

Mr. Sisson, a bugler of the Civil War, has the distinction of sounding the last hostile bugle call of the war, the call to "halt" at Appomattox on April 9, 1865. In speaking of a suggestion made yesterday at the New Orleans convention of the Confederate veterans by Dr. Geo. W. Harding, father of President Harding, that the "Blue and Gray" meet in joint session next year, Mr. Sisson said he thought it would be a good idea. "We're all too old to fight anyway," he added.

Mr. Sisson has been in continuous business in Maryville longer than any other merchant here that is now active. With H. C. Fisher, then cashier of the Farmers Bank (now known as the First National Bank) and Albert P. Morehouse, afterwards governor, he entered upon the real estate and abstract business on April 13, 1874. The business has been conducted at the same location since.

Mr. Sisson came to Maryville August 9, 1866. On arrival in this county, his first employment was as a farm hand, then school teacher, cabinet maker, county road and bridge commissioner for three years, studying surveying and engineering the while. In 1871 he engaged as an engineer with a firm of bridge contractors at St. Joseph and designed and superintended the construction of a large bridge over the Brazo river near Calvert, Texas, spanning the entire stream with one span of two hundred and sixty-six feet. He returned to Maryville in 1874.

Mr. Sisson was born May 25, 1845, in Meigs County, Ohio.

Mr. Sisson has seen many changes in Maryville in the years that he has been here. One of these is the fact that the streets are now lined with motor cars, whereas, when he first came even the buggy was unknown

As Interesting as Baseball.

Americans have more sense about baseball than about government, Attorney General Barrett told an audience in St. Louis day before yesterday, and they know more about batting averages than about the supreme court.

That is what comes of belonging to such a big and going concern as the United States of America. Most persons fail to realize that no concern, no matter how big and successful, can continue its success unless intelligent interest is taken in its management by the people who control it.

In its series, "What of America?" The Star is publishing the information that Americans ought to have if they are to maintain this government. It is believed that the people who are following these articles are realizing that the story of the growth of American institutions is fully as fascinating as baseball.—Kansas City Star.

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and the oxcart with its yoke of steers was not an uncommon sight on the streets.

Mr. Sisson remembers when the first buggy was brought to Maryville. It was owned by a man named Joe Moreland, he says. The buggy was in use a large part of the time for all of Moreland's friends were anxious to borrow it for the purpose of taking their girl friends out for rides.

**MAX OSER AND
MATILDA WED?****ROCKEFELLER'S GRANDDAUGHTER
AND RIDING MASTER WED****LIFT ON HOLLYMOON****Neither Miss McCormick Nor Major
Oser Would Talk Concerning Mar-
riage—Bride 18 Last Week.**

London, April 13.—Miss Matilda McCormick, 18-year-old granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, and Major Max Oser, middle-aged Swiss riding master, who have been engaged for more than a year, were secretly married in London yesterday, the International News Service were reliably informed this afternoon.

The couple, it was reported, left for places unknown on a honeymoon trip. Matilda became of age last week and friends said that she had been waiting to become 18 before marrying.

Major Oser and Matilda are said to have called on friends in London unexpectedly last night and excitedly announced that they had just been married under a special license. Both refused to say what services had been performed. They left soon afterward saying they were leaving on their honeymoon. Both Oser and Matilda were silent about their marriage as they have been throughout their entire romance.

When asked who performed the ceremony both shook their heads in the negative and were silenced. They refused to give the names of the witnesses. It was understood that Cyrus McCormick, grandfather of Matilda was in London recently, but it is not known whether or not he is still there. It was understood that Matilda was in Waybridge visiting friends and relatives but a search of Waybridge failed to reveal her whereabouts.

**Texas Man Killed
By Electric Cable**

Orange, Texas, April 13.—While repairing a cable near here, Aupha Turner, 46, came in contact with a live wire today and was instantly killed. The line man's body hung across the cable for a few moments then dropped to the ground.

6 Race Horses Are Back

Six of Ben Jones' race horses arrived from Havana, Cuba, Friday in charge of Glen Summa. His other horses were shipped to Bowie, Md., where they are entered in the races.—Parnell Sentinel.

**EXCELSIORS AND
PHILOS WINNERS****IN LAST NIGHT'S LITERARY CON-
TEST AT COLLEGE****WINNERS DECIDED TONITE****When Music, Declamation, Debate
and Essay Victors Will Be An-
nounced—Eurekans Trailing**

The Philomathean and Excelsior Literary Societies of the College took the lead in the annual literary contests after winning first in last night's contests. Each of these two societies now have two victories to its credit, with the Eurekans trailing with one victory. However any of the societies may come out victorious if they win enough of tonight's contests.

Leo Halasay, Excelsior, won first last night in the oration with his subject, "Our Debt to Agitators." Jack Shelley, Excelsior, won second with his oration, "The Aftermath," and David Max, Philomathean, third with his oration, "Peace."

In the debate, Florine Pollard and Ira Young, Philomatheans upholding the affirmative won over Ethel Kaufman and Fred Kurtz of the Excelsiors. The subject under debate was, Resolved: That government ownership of the coal mines is desirable. Dr. C. C. James, the Rev. B. F. Cline and M. E. Ford, were the judges of last night's contests. Miss Gladys and Helen Buclman of the Excelsior Society opened the program with a duet.

There is keen rivalry evident for tonight's contests as they decide the winners. The Excelsiors and Eurekans will clash in a debate over the subject of the necessity of an immediate increase in the navy. Harold Tobow and Frank McCombs will uphold the affirmative for the Excelsiors and Jack Shelley and Robert Nicholas will defend the negative for the Eurekans.

In the declamation contests the entries are: Helen Tobow, Excelsior; Lillian Hall, Philomathean and Evelyn Raines, Excelsior.

In the music contests are: Excelsior quintet, composed of William Devore, Basil Frasier, Gladys and Helen Buclman and Fay Croy; Philomathean quartet composed of Josephine Miller, Grace Foster, Orpha Stewart, and Anna Houston; Excelsior quintet composed of Ruth Cline, Mabel Raines, Helen Miller, Helen Manifold and Marie Cloud.

The winners in the essay contests will be announced tonight following the program.

**College Men to
Judge Contests****Cooper, Richman and Keller to Dar-
lington and Phillips and Glenn
to Trenton.**

Bert Cooper, L. A. Richman and Dr. Fred Keller of the College, left this afternoon for Darlington, where they will act as judges in the Gentry County literary contests to be held there tonight. Mr. Richman will judge the music contest and Mr. Cooper and Mr. Keller will judge the literary contests.

E. W. Glenn and Homer T. Phillips of the College faculty, left yesterday for Trenton, where they will assist in judging at the Trenton track meet taking place there today.

Next Thursday Dr. Keller will go to Lafayette Consolidated High School in the east part of the county to deliver the annual commencement address.

**Mrs. Don Alexander of
Burlington Jct., Dies****Was Brought to St. Francis Hospital
Yesterday—Burial Will Be at
Mount Moriah, Mo.**

Mrs. Don Alexander of Burlington Junction, 18 years old, died at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening at St. Francis Hospital where she was admitted yesterday afternoon. Uremic poisoning was the cause of death. A baby son was born at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and died at 4 o'clock this morning. The body was taken to Mount Moriah, Mo., the former home of the family for burial.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Alexander is survived by her mother, Mrs. Leah C. Chambers, and two brothers, Rex and Neal Chambers, all living west of Burlington Junction. The Alexander home is also west of Burlington Junction.

**Outlook Promising
For Masonic Temple**

Advance indications for a Masonic Temple are most encouraging, as shown by the first reports of the teams of the Masonic Building Association in their luncheon held last night at Pennington's Cafe. The teams have been working only three days and the reports last night showed that practically ninety percent of members canvassed have contributed loans toward the new building. There are eight teams working, composed of six men each.

A call meeting of the association will probably be called for the first of next week to go over the subscriptions and make further plans for the building.

**M.H.S. RUNNING
2ND AT TRENTON****Special From Trenton.**

Maryville High School track athletes were running second in the Trenton track meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock after six of the sixteen events had been run off. Trenton was leading with 17½ points and Maryville was runner-up with 8½ points.

For Maryville, Johnny Smith won first in the half-mile setting a time of 2:10 3-5. Roelofson tied for third in the pole vault, Davis of Trenton winning first at a height of 9 feet, 9 inches. George Aley placed fourth in the low hurdles, the winner's time being 27.1. "Bunk" Miller placed fourth in the quarter, the winner's time in this event being 55 sec., lowering the old record of 55.2.

Ten more events to be run off including the relay and Maryville has an excellent chance of finishing first or a close runner-up. A big crowd is attending the meet and ideal weather prevails. Hugh Graham, Homer T. Phillips of the College and Marve Peery are judges at the finish and William Mapel is a timer.

**Shane King Makes
Annapolis Varsity****One of the Eight on Rowing Team
that Will Compete with Harvard,
Yale and Princeton**

Shane King, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. King of Maryville, and a sophomore in the Annapolis naval school, has made the varsity rowing team of the navy school. A picture of the rowing team appeared recently in the Washington papers.

For the past few years Annapolis has had the championship rowing team of the country. Last year seven of the varsity men were graduated, and King, who made the Freshman team last year, went into the varsity rowers this year. If the Annapolis eight defeats Harvard, Yale, Cornell and Princeton, they will go to the Olympic games next year. It is considered quite an honor to make the navy rowing team.

**Governmental Party
Back to Washington**

Washington, April 13.—Completing a 6,500 mile trip to Panama Bay and return, the Transport, Henderson, carrying Secretary of the Navy, Edwin Denby and a party of senators and congressmen, docked at the Washington navy yards this afternoon. The Henderson came direct from San Juan, Porto Rico, where they had witnessed the inauguration of Harrison M. Towner, new Porto Rican governor.

**Ernest Lattin Falls
Under Disc; Injured**

Ernest Lattin, who is employed at the Roy Lippman farm, southeast of Maryville, received painful wounds on the legs and hips Tuesday when he fell under a disc. He was brought to St. Francis Hospital and fifty-seven stitches were taken to close the wounds. Mr. Lattin lost control of four mules hitched to the disc when a young male became frightened and in trying to jump from the disc, fell under it, the sharp steel wheels running over the legs and hips.

**Gene Cummins Will
Open Up Office Here**

Gene Cummins who has recently completed the regular and post-graduate courses at Needles Institute and has practised nearly a year in Kansas City, has opened up an office with his father, Dr. K. C. Cummins. Mr. Cummins is equipped with the latest instruments to examine and correct vision.

**WINNERS PICKED IN
SPEAKING PRELIMS****HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WILL GO
INTO FINALS.****3 BOYS AND 6 GIRLS****Are Chosen in Oratory and Declamation
—Finals Tuesday—To Pick
Cattle Judges.**

Ralph Graves, Clement Rickman and Stewart Tulloch were chosen winners this morning in the boys' oratorical preliminaries held at the high school to go into the finals to pick a representative of the school in the coming contest at the College. Graves won on his oration, "The Spirit of Robert Lee;" Rickman won on, "The Immigrant Speaks," and Tulloch won on, "The New South." Six boys were entered in the contest this morning. The finals will be held next Tuesday evening.

The boys who spoke this morning and their subjects are as follows: Extractions from President Wilson's first inaugural address—Joe Graves. "The Spirit of Robert Lee"—Ralph Graves.

"The Greatest Battle ever Won"—Jesse Michaelson.

"The New South"—Stewart Tulloch.

"The Immigrant Speaks"—Clement Rickman.

"The Voice of Armenia"—Walter Allen.

Six girls were chosen by the judges to compete in the finals in declamatory speaking, following the preliminaries that were held this week. The girls were picked from those who were in the preliminaries this week. They are Alyce Allen, Laura Margaret Raines, Mildred New, Marie Chandler, Clydia Bratcher, and Blanche Anderson.

The finals, on Tuesday evening, will be to pick the students who will represent the school in the contests at the college. There will be finals in girls' declamation, boys' oratory and extemporaneous speaking.

The high school musicians are preparing themselves for the big pre-contest program, to be given next Monday evening. The program will consist of the selections, that will be presented in the spring contests at the College. The proceeds of the program will go to the treasury of the high school athletic association, which is in sore need of a little money. This will be the chance for the Maryville people to hear the high school talent, and everyone, who likes to hear good music, is urged to come. The program will be printed in tomorrow's paper.

H. G. Tilley, vocational agricultural instructor, took a number of his students to the Geo. D. Sorrie farm, southwest of Maryville, this morning to judge cattle as preliminary training to the selection of a cattle judging team to enter the College contests. Mr. Tilley picked the boys, who are to be on the stock judging team, late this afternoon. The four boys who will be on the team are: Homer Ogden, Arthur Hartman, LeRoy Jones and Eldon Dow. The will enter the cattle judging contest at the College meet, this month.

**Mrs. Iva Carriger
Arrested in St. Joe****Was Brought Here on a Charge of
Common Assault, Having Used
a Knife on Madge Gunn**

Mrs. Iva Carriger, colored, was arrested at St. Joseph this morning by Sheriff Steve Roach on a charge of using a knife on Madge Gunn, colored, at the home of Mrs. Mamie Gunn at 1102 East Cooper street. In the fight, Miss Gunn received an ugly cut across her arm, it being necessary to take seventeen stitches.

It was said that Mrs. Carriger went to the Gunn home about 9 o'clock last evening for her husband, Time Carriger, who has been staying at the Gunn home, Mrs. Gunn being his aunt.

Mrs. Carriger inquired for her husband and was finally ordered to leave the place by Madge Gunn. It was at this time that Mrs. Carriger pulled out a knife and used it. Later on during the night, Mrs. Carriger went to St. Joseph, being driven there.

The charge against Mrs. Carriger was made common assault.

At St. Francis Hospital.

Mrs. Elias Brown, living west of Orrsburg, was brought to St. Francis hospital yesterday afternoon to undergo treatment for gall stones and complications.

**Pesek Pins Zhyzsko
in Straight Falls****Former Champ Is In Hospital Today
Threatened With Concussion of
Brain—Last Fall in 3 Minutes**

Kansas City, April 13.—Stanislaus Zhyzsko, former wrestling champion is in the hospital today suffering from injuries that threatened concussion of the brain, sustained last night in the rough go with John Pesek, Nebraska Tiger.

Pesek defeated Zhyzsko in straight falls. The first one came after an even hour of terrific work by means of a head scissors and a double wrist lock. The second fall took only three minutes, Zhyzsko being stood on his head in the first go and was unable to rise for several minutes. An x-ray photograph will be taken to determine the extent of his injuries. Physicians said today that he did not believe his injuries would prove serious.

**PLAN FOR HOUSING
TRACK MEET GUESTS****OVER A THOUSAND VISITORS
MUST BE CARED FOR.****NEW PLAN THIS YEAR****Contestants Will Know in Advance
Where They Will Stay—Entries
Close Next Tuesday.**

Preparations were started today to care for the thousand or more overnight visitors to the annual Northwest Missouri High School contests and track meet to be held here April 26, 27 and 28 under the auspices of the State Teachers College.

Residents of Maryville will have to open up their homes more than they ever did before and furnish beds for the visiting high school contestants. All persons, who will furnish lodgings for contestants, are asked to call the Chamber of Commerce immediately stating the number they can take care of. Persons who have rooms to be used only in an emergency are requested to also notify the Chamber and these will be placed upon a separate list and not used until the others are exhausted. Those in charge have requested that the rooms be listed before next Wednesday.

A new system is being used this year in caring for the rooming problem. As soon as the list is compiled of persons who will rent rooms for this occasion it will be turned over to the assignment committee at the college. All entries to the events must be in by next Tuesday night. The entries then will be assigned in advance to rooms, using lists furnished by the Chamber of Commerce. The room assignments will then be sent to the superintendents of each school, so when the contestants arrive in Maryville they will know in advance the exact location of their rooms. The Maryville residents will also know in advance just how many and who their visitors will be. This will greatly facilitate the rooming problem. The committee have asked that persons listing rooms will not give them to anyone else except those assigned and that someone be at home the evening the guests arrive.

Preliminaries are underway in nearly all of the high schools in the nineteen counties of the district to select contestants for the contests here. There will be more contests and a greater variety of them this year than ever before. All advance indications point to a record breaking crowd here this year. The first contests will open at 8:30 o'clock Thursday morning April 26.

**HAS NEAR ONE
POUND LEGHORNS**

Mrs. Francis Manley of Barnard has some early hatched Brown Leghorns that she says will weigh nearly a pound, tipping the scales just a little under that. She usually has spring chickens on the market as early as any of the chicken raisers in the country.—Barnard Bulletin.

Former Student Visits Here

Miss Jeanie Blacklock, a student at Park College in Parkville, came last night to visit her sister, Miss Fannie Blacklock, at Perrin Hall. The latter is a student at the State Teachers College and her sister also attended the College for two years. The young women will go to their home in King City for a week-end visit.

**U. S. TO DISGORGE
BOOTLEGER GAINS****GOVERNMENT LOST MILLIONS IN
ILLICIT BUSINESS CLAIMED.****50,000 ARE WEALTHY****That Many Bootleggers Here Liable to
Payments—Hundred Million Gal-
lons of Whisky Sold in 1922.**

Washington, April 13.—The government today decided to launch a campaign to force the illicit whisky dealers of the country to disgorge millions of dollars alleged to have been eluded in taxes and obtained in liquor sales.

Internal revenue collectors, co-operating with prohibition authorities have been ordered to dig into the records of raids and seizures for evidence to compel the payment of hidden revenues. Government experts estimate that there are about 50,000 wealthy bootleggers in the United States liable to payments and penalties under the prohibition laws for defaulting.

New evidence developing out of the sensational discovery of Georgia bootleggers, who are reported to have amassed a fortune in the past few years is expected to help in uncovering other evidence.

Bank accounts and other records that show the extent of their operations have been opened to the government experts. Evidence to be gathered in a score of other states is expected, showing the extent of the Georgia ring and affiliations with other rings in the important "wet" strongholds of the country.

Some administration officials estimated today that in the "dry United States," last year, probably not less than a hundred millions gallons of illicit whiskey was sold. This estimate took into account the increase the sale of corn and other moonshine liquor.

**Avery Road Razer
Is Demonstrated****Folk and Jackson Township Boards and
Mayor Garrett Attending—Polk
Board Inspects Tractors.**

A demonstration of the Avery Road Razer is being held this afternoon on the road south of the Maryville Country Club to the John Yates farm. Attending the demonstration were the members of the Polk township board, Mayor V. O. Garrett, and the board of Jackson township.

The Washington township board came to Maryville yesterday for the purpose of inspecting the Aultman-Taylor tractors which Polk township is using for road work. The board of that township is thinking about buying a tractor of that kind.

The Polk township board made an inspection trip yesterday to see two or three makes of a caterpillar tractor. A caterpillar tractor used by A. L. Cook, contractor who is working on a state road project near Wilcox, was looked over yesterday. The board is intending to purchase one and will try and get a second hand one instead of buying a new one.

H. M. Miller, divisional engineer with headquarters at St. Joseph, was well pleased with the cooperation between the township board and J. E. James, who is in charge of the maintenance work on the state highways in this county. Mr. Miller said the best roads he has been over recently was in Polk township yesterday. These township roads are in better shape now than they have been for a long time and the township board is going to make an effort to keep them up to that high standard.

Ed Curfman Home

E. C. Curfman of the Curfman Bros. Lumber Company returned home last night from a ten days' visit at points in the lumber district in Louisiana. He also visited the big mills and inspected logging operations in the state.

Probate Court Appointments

Estate of Eliza M. Davis who died March 23, Walter Davis of Ravenwood was appointed administrator. Estate of Lida Miller, who died March 2, at Quitman, a brother, John W. Miller was appointed administrator.

THE WEATHER.

Unsettled to-night, rain in the east portion, cooler in the extreme south-east portion; Saturday probably fair,

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

A farmer in the Orange Free State in South Africa, where gasoline sells for \$1.20 a gallon, found his farm infested with a species of cactus. He was unable to rid his place of the nuisance and the thought occurred to him that he might turn it to some good. He began experimenting and discovered that, by a process of fermentation, he could make a product from the juices of the fruit of the prickly pears. He succeeded in running his own car with it and gave samples to his neighbors and the result is said to be a product that will supply a good motor power at about forty-five cents a gallon in the South Africa. Perhaps some of the numerous citizens in this country, who are experimenting with fermentations of fruits and cereals, might be able to produce something of some value to the world if they would turn their efforts in more wholesome directions.

Search Continues for Czar's Jewels

Tiara Held by Custom Officials Thought to be a Part—May be Worth \$100,000

Los Angeles, April 13.—The secret investigation that is being conducted by the United States treasury department agents, headed by William Williams, today is expected to clear up the rumor that a part of the Czar's crown jewels, stolen at the time of his assassination, have been discovered in Los Angeles, and at the same time determine if the tiara being held by the custom officials is a part of that collection.

The tiara being held was purchased in a New York antique shop at a nominal price. Collector of Customs Schaebe, in whose possession it is now, expressed the belief that it is a part of some famous foreign collection of gems.

The tiara is described as being twelve inches long and four inches wide at its widest part, and weighs nearly a half a pound. It is said to be set with 125 diamonds of the smooth, old style cut. A large diamond, the size of a ten cent piece, is set in the center and at least a dozen others not much smaller in size, dangles from the delicate gold chain. It contains an uncut emerald the size of an acorn and it is edged with pearls and rubies.

No accurate appraisal has been made of the tiara, but federal agents say that if it is genuine as a part of the czar's collection, it would be worth close to a \$100,000. If not a part of the crown jewels it would be worth not less than \$25,000.

Short Session of Court Held Today

Only a short session of circuit court was held today. The following were the proceedings:

Jessie Fern Short vs. Marvin E. Short, divorce, decree of divorce granted and care and custody of minor child, Marvin Woodrow Short.

Garrett Hardware Co., vs. Frank Barmann, appeal from J. P. court, plaintiff dismisses suit, costs paid.

Sarah E. Bradley vs. R. K. Archer, note, judgment for plaintiff on the first count for \$535.17 and on the second count for \$75 attorney fee.

Ar. Neil Somerville vs. James E. Meek, note, judgment for plaintiff for \$182.98 and \$18 on second count.

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The man who is clear
Out of sympathy with
Youth might just as
Well shuffle off.

You better practice crossing your fingers as tomorrow is the fateful Friday The Thirteenth.

Why should we care if the earth is round or flat so long as the people in it are square?

If the average young persons were as bad as they appear in the minds of their parents who have forgotten they were ever young, they would be pretty tough propositions. But parents do not always have the right slant.

It is one sure thing there are a lot of men in Maryville who never let their religion interfere with their business.

Did you ever see a girl wearing cotton hose who thought it was necessary to jump on a chair when a mouse appeared?



Uncle Abner,
says the hardest
job on earth is
making loose ends
meet.

Wonder if the Maryville girls will put their Russian boots in moth balls for the summer or sell them to the junk man?

We can remember those picturesque characters who used to threaten to "eat their hats" if a certain thing was not so.

It appears to us that a lot of speakers who are advertised as having a message forget to bring it along to the lecture.



Louise, the stenographer, says she doubts if a third of her so called friends will stand the test.

When you see a man whose head resembles an egg you can conclude as a general rule that he is susceptible to chicken.

A bachelor friend says many a man has shown himself a fool by trying to convince a woman.

Vagrant Musings
About the only reason a lot of people kiss babies is because the poor little things can't help themselves.

The quickest way to strike a "happy vein" is to bump your funny bone. Even if you can't believe all you hear you usually do.

A lot of people get by without any trouble until they start talking.

A lot of men apparently think it is better to have loved and married than never to have loved at all.

Today's Vaudeville Patter
Biff—Money isn't everything.
Bang—Well it is the only thing I need right now.

A Veil of Mystery Over Disappearance

Alva, Okla., April 12.—A veil of mystery masks the strange disappearance of Edgar Bailey, 32, of this city.

Although several clues as to his present whereabouts have been investigated, none of them have proved to be of any tangible assistance to the authorities.

Officers have taken Ira Welty, 35, into custody, and according to the officers, he has told several stories, most of which, have differed in contents to a large extent.

Feeling is at a high pitch over the affair.

ESTATE TO MERCY HOSPITAL

Missouri Christian College to Share In \$40,000 Left by City Couple

Platte City, Mo., April 12.—The estate of the late Judge and Mrs. A. D. Burnes, both of Platte City, who died a short time apart, is to go to Mercy hospital in Kansas City and Missouri Christian college at Camden Point, in compliance with the will of both. At the death of Judge Burnes an appraisal was made of his property revealing that his real estate was worth about \$18,750 and that he had money and other personal property to bring the total of his estate to more than \$28,000. Mrs. Burnes possessed some personal property amounting to about \$10,000, so that the total that the hospital at Kansas City and the Camden Point college will receive will be close to \$49,000. Mrs. Burnes made the same disposal of her property as Judge Burnes with the exception of several bequests to friends and relatives.

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What of America?

Shall This Government Live or Die?

If the king of Great Britain in person were encamped on Boston Common, at the head of 20,000 men, with all his navy on our coast, he would not be able to execute these laws.—James Otis.

The Stamp Act Leads to the First Step Toward Colonial Unity

A repressive policy against the colonies that began as early as the year George III ascended the throne took the form of writs of assistance, so called, by which crown officers were empowered to search the private dwellings of the colonists for smuggled goods. James Otis, a Boston lawyer employed by the crown, threw up his commission rather than appear for the English government in these cases. He took the colonists' case and in an argument before the Massachusetts court, shivered the crown's pretensions to bits.

"Then and there," said John Adams, "the trumpet of the Revolution was sounded."

The royal commissioners of the revenue soon found all the legal talent in the colonies was on the other side. Every American lawyer, it was complained, was a patriot, and every patriot thought he was a lawyer. Nor was this much of an exaggeration. General Gage, when he tried to billet troops on the Boston population a few years later, was amazed at the knowledge every citizen displayed of the legal points involved.

"I am in a country where everybody seems to know the law," he angrily declared.

An English attorney general, equally baffled, said the Americans were so well versed in the crown law that they knew how to shave treason by a hair.

In his speech of conciliation Burke paid the Americans a more honest compliment on their study of the laws that governed them. "This study," he said, "renders men acute, inquisitive, dexterous, full of resources. In other countries the people, more simple, judge an ill principle in government only by an actual grievance; in America they anticipate the evil, and judge of the pressure of the grievance by the badness of the principle. They augur misgovernment at a distance, and snuff the approach of tyranny in every tainted breeze."

But the first broad view we get of the differences that were to widen into conflict between the colonies and the mother country, is presented by the action of the congress that assembled in New York in 1765 to remonstrate against the new theory on which the English government was proceeding.

The specific thing that brought this congress together was the Stamp Act by which parliament had required the Americans to purchase stamped paper for use in business transactions. It was a direct, new and obnoxious obtrusive tax, obviously collected. The attempt to collect it had aroused violent opposition. The collectors were mobbed wherever they appeared, forced to flee, arrested and made to resign their offices. Consignments of the stamped paper were seized in many towns and burned amid the wildest popular demonstrations.

Parliament had passed this law, says the English historian, Green, with less opposition than would have been brought out by a turnpike bill. It was a characteristic act of a gov-

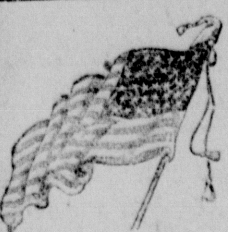
ANNOUNCEMENT

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gress was presided over by Timothy Ruggles of Massachusetts and John Rutledge of South Carolina led the debate on the floor. North and South were one when the liberties of both were threatened.

One statesman in England at least saw what this action meant. Pitt was not in parliament when the stamp act was passed, but he returned to the house in the following session when the news of American resistance had brought the ministry to the necessity of considering the repeal of the act. "America is almost in open rebellion," he warned the house. "Sir, I reject that America has resisted. Three millions of people so dead to all the feelings of liberty as voluntarily to submit to be slaves would have been fit instruments to make slaves of the rest."

It was these words of Pitt that caused George III to call him a trumpet of sedition.

(To be continued in The Democrat-Forum tomorrow.)

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Princeton Man and Sons Die in Fire

Princeton, Mo., April 13.—Dr. Max Koch, a chiropractor, and two sons, Edward, 7, and Robert, 11, were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the Koch building here early today. The victims were asleep in Dr. Koch's office on the second floor. A third son, Abbie, was rescued by firemen unhurt. The charred bodies of the victims were removed from the ruins.

The fire destroyed the two story buildings which included McKee's hardware store, Casteel Brothers Department store, and the A. Mullinax dry goods store.

The stock of goods of all the stores were badly damaged. The fire started by an explosion of a gas stove in Dr. Koch's office.

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Church Deed Made Many Years Ago

W. D. Beaver of Elmo found the deed to the ground on which Bethel Baptist Church of near Elmo stands among the papers of his father, the late Moses F. Beaver.

The deed was made by H. M. Severs to Richard Adkins, Jos. Huston, Daniel Severs and Moses F. Beaver as trustees.

The deed was made and acknowledged by Joseph Jackson, county clerk. It was recorded by Henry Graves, circuit

clerk, and ex-officio recorder, by Wm. B. Roseberry, deputy recorder. The price was \$75, and the land reverts to Severs or his heirs when not used for church purposes.

The strange thing about it is that all persons who were connected with the deed are dead.—Elmo Register.

Price & Horn at Elmo.

Price & Horn, Undertakers, is the new sign on the Citizens Bank building in Elmo, opposite the Register office. J. P. Price of Maryville and C. D. Horn of Elmo comprise the firm.—Elmo Register.

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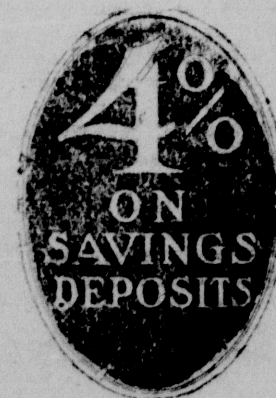
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Society

White Cloud Club

A social meeting of the White Cloud Club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Hilsenbeck. Those present were Mrs. W. D. Hoshor, Mrs. Charles Rice, Mrs. C. T. Frost, Mrs. Raymond Jones, Mrs. Jim Clements, Mrs. Ralph Hukill, Mrs. Mary Bracken, Misses Laura Hoshor, Ruby Rice, Hazel and Blanche Hubbard, Dollie Clements and Marie Frost. The club will meet April 26 at the home of Mrs. Mary Bracken.

Haller Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Haller will have as their dinner guests this evening at their home on West Thompson street Mr. and Mrs. William Everhart and their guests, Mrs. Arch Carter and little daughter, Betty Lee, of Kirksville.

Friendship Club

The Friendship Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Banner Brummett on East Sixth street. The feature of the afternoon was a handkerchief shower for Mrs. Frank Henderson who has gone to Creston, Ia., to live. The rest of the afternoon was devoted to fancy work after which refreshments were served. The club will be entertained April 26 at the home of Mrs. Leon Cannon. Those in attendance were Mrs. Will Steele, Mrs. F. W. Rogers, Mrs. Ernest Kessler, Mrs. Leon Cannon, Mrs. Leo Strong, Mrs. Otto Frazee and the hostess.

Foster Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner last night when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Yates Cox, Misses Nettie and Nellie Cox, Mabel and Hazel Cox, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hurley, and Mrs. Ada Diem.

Miss Trullinger Hostess

Miss Mildred Trullinger entertained the members of the Ever Ready Class of the First Christian Church last night at her home on Grand avenue. At the business meeting Miss Edna Nichols was elected president; Miss Ellen Whaley, vice president; and Miss Trullinger, assistant secretary. The rest of the evening was spent socially and refreshments of ice cream and wafers were served. The members and visitors present were Miss Esther Higdon, teacher of the class; and Misses Edna Nichols, Ellen Whaley, Thelma Ashford, Rowena Hanna, Willie Reece, Margaret Reece, Mildred Hughes, Mina Hughes, Gladys Alloway and the hostess.

Merry Mingler Club

The regular meeting of the Merry Mingler Club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe Johnston. The members gave a kitchen shower for Mr. and Mrs. Dale Marsh, who recently went to housekeeping on a farm, seven miles east of Maryville. Contests and music were other entertaining features and the prizes in the former diversion were won by Mrs. Dale Marsh and Miss Theresa Jenger. The hostess served refreshments. Mrs. Anna Marsh will be hostess to the club April 27. Visitors at the meeting were Mrs. Mary Brant, Mrs. Louisa Armstrong, Mrs. Carl Fisher of Maryville, Miss Mary Tallon, Miss

Evelyn Marsh, Dora Belle McElwee, Henry Jenger and Joe Brant. The members present were Mrs. Roy Schulte and daughters, Betty Ann and Mary Jane, Mrs. Tom Tallon, Mrs. Henry Jenger, Mrs. Fisher Mercer, Mrs. Henry Jenger, Mrs. Russell Smock, Mrs. A. B. Steins, Mrs. Elva McElwee, Mrs. Anna Marsh, Mrs. Dale Marsh, Misses Mina Armstrong, Theresa and Minnie Jenger and Edith Marsh.

Frank Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank will be hosts at a 6 o'clock dinner this evening at their home on East Seventh street. Covers will be laid for Dr. and Mrs. Vilas Martin and children, Forrest and Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hosmer and daughters, Margaret Louise and Betty, Mrs. W. C. Frank, J. R. Brink and the hosts and daughter, Eva Margaret.

Wesleyan Bible Class

The Wesleyan Bible Class of the First Methodist Church held its April meeting last night at the home of Mrs. O. L. Curl on South Buchanan street, with Mrs. C. E. Stilwell and Miss Emma Hull as assisting hostesses. The regular business meeting was followed by the program, with Miss Edna O'Neal as leader. Mrs. Stilwell gave an interesting talk on Booker T. Washington and his work. Mrs. Edith Glenn and daughter, Dorothy, gave a piano duet and a reading was given by Miss Mary Elizabeth Jones. Dorothy Glenn also sang two solos. During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostesses. There were twenty-five present including the following guests: Mrs. Lula Fraser, Miss Gladys Mendenhall, Miss Mary Elizabeth Jones, Berneta McKee, Marjorie Curritt and Oliver and Eloise Curl. The class will hold a social meeting next month when the families of the members will be guests.

Surprise Birthday Party

A surprise party was given Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hantze, east of Pickering, in honor of the nineteenth birthday anniversary of their son, Harold Hantze. The evening was spent in music and progressive ruck and the game prizes were won by Miss Vera Brown and Cecil Lawson. Refreshments of pie and cake were served. Those present were Misses Vera Brown, Edna O'Day, Eldora McMahon, Pauline Spurgeon, Jennie McMahon, Doris McKee, Letitia Lawson, Alice Morin, Neva King, Velma Lawson, Marjorie Blanton, Mildred Bosch, Olivia Bloomfield, Mildred Hubbell, Mary Loveridge, Lottie Hantze and Virgil Jasper, Ross Edwards, Glen Lawson, Doyle Murray, Howard Edwards, Cecil Brown, Orville Kelley, Doyle Moore, Irvin Shelman, Bryan Bosch, Ernest Garrard, Perry Sapp, Byron Wray, Dale Blanton, Harold Hantze, Roland, Harold, Junior and Derrell Dean Hantze, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Floren and son, Fay, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lawson and son, Kenneth Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle King, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bosch, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Will Hantze.

Ladies' Bible Class of First Presbyterian Church will give MARKET Saturday at D. E. Hotchkiss' Store.

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A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

GAYNOR COURIER.

Mrs. Mabel Keith and two children of Iowa spent the week end with Will Stickles.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Toops and family were visiting at Mrs. Toops' mother, Mrs. Sarah Anderson's Sunday. Mabel Hobson is ill with pneumonia. Miss Erma Freeman of Grant City is staying at Hobson's during Mabel's illness.

Miss Christine Otto visited at S. L. Hobson's Sunday.

Gaynor poultry raisers are having some good hatches. Mrs. Delmer New has over three hundred little chickens. Mrs. Roy Nigh has a hatch of 500 Plymouth Rocks. Mrs. J. R. Garrard had a hatch of 258 chickens from 290 eggs.

Will Sparks has just finished his new water system.

J. R. Garrard and Orren Nigh sowed oats Friday and Saturday. John Koger finished sowing oats Saturday.

Delmer New and Ernest Nigh were sowing oats Monday.

Alfred Sparks finished his hog shed Saturday.

Will Sparks, Roy Nigh, Claude Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reddick and son, Lawrence were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Forrest Koger, Orren Nigh and Frank Edwards are on the sick list this week.

Lewis Sparks and Orren Nigh spent the week end at Henry Behm's of Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sharr spent Sunday evening at Seymour Potter's. Mrs. M. M. Johnson of Clay Center, Neb., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Joshua Daugherty.

Jake Winemiller spent Sunday at Chas. Daugherty's.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clark and children, Lloyd and Elvin visited relatives in Bedford Sunday. Mr. Clark's sister, Beulah, returned with them to spend a few days at their home in Gaynor.

Dorothy Hepburn, who is attending the S. T. C. at Maryville, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hepburn.

For the benefit of the patrons, we submit the following statement of expenditures and receipts of the Gaynor school:

Receipts—	
Box supper, Oct.	\$ 50.97
Play, "Home Ties," Dec. 15.	22.05
Play, "Deestrick Skule," Feb. 14	30.10
Play, "Deestrick Skule," Feb. 22	26.50
Minstrel, April 6.	31.15
Minstrel, April 7.	15.50
Total	\$175.37
Expenditures—	
Victrola	\$ 45.30
Ten records	8.50
Lumber bill	14.25
Hardware and sand paper	5.90
Set of maps	25.00
Pictures taken for "School Film"	17.50
5 wall pictures	12.50
Drain pipe	4.15
Advertising	9.00
Stain	1.60
Box candy	1.50
Pickles	.45
Catsup	.25
Floor oil	1.59
2 door mats	2.10
2 curtain poles at 15c	.30
2 window shades, at 50c	1.20
5 sash curtains	1.20
Mirror	.45
Framing for "Superior School" certificate	1.50
Piano tuning	3.50
Total	\$157.74
Balance in treasury	17.63
	\$175.37

Miss Pearl Keiflein will leave tomorrow night for St. Louis where she will attend the mid-summer display of millinery which opens April 16.

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A KIDNAPPED BOY BECOMES A BIG CLEAN PUBLIC MAN

Joseph Got To Be a Better Food Administrator Than Hoover (By C. L. Ficklin, Editor Dekalb County Herald, Maysville, Mo.)

You can't always tell what will happen to a kidnapped boy. He may go to the dogs. Or he may get to be a great big clean fine man with such commanding ability that he will stand out in history as one of the biggest men of all times.

The Sunday School lesson for April 15 is about just such a boy.

Joseph was the son of Jacob. His father loved him better than he loved his other sons. The boy was a dreamer. He dreamed dreams about how his brothers had to bow down to him. They got so they did not like him. And one day when Jacob sent the boy Joseph out to see about the brothers they saw him coming and decided that they would do something rash and radical with him. Some of them wanted to kill him. They decided that would not do. So they grabbed him and put him in a pit in the ground, and later when some traveling fellows came along on the way to Egypt, these brothers pulled the boy out of the pit and sold him to these fellows. Then they took his coat of many colors, dipped it in blood and carried it home to his father, Jacob, and made him believe that some wild beast had killed the boy Joseph.

They were a mean outfit. They did not have much tenderness of heart. Good boys never do anything to hurt the heart of their father like that.

It was a long time coming to Jacob. But it will be remembered that he fooled his daddy too and swiped the birthright of Esau by lying to Isaac.

And Joseph was carried into Egypt. He was just the same as a kidnapped boy.

Have you been reading about King Tut of Egypt? And about his palace, and about his big fine chairs, and buttons and sandals and all the dandy stuff and the flashy stuff that he had on him and around him?

The story of Joseph beats the story of King Tut mighty badly. Some commentators take the position that Joseph was a pampered, spoiled boy, and that he dreamed silly dreams because his father coddled him and made a fuss over him. I have not been inclined to take this estimate of Joseph—at any rate not very much. Joseph was a man of vision. He saw things above the dirt and the sheep and food and clothing. He had a bold and militant spirit, a heart that was alive, an intellect that had a wide, high grasp. I like to look upon him as a man with no serious flaw in his character.

Joseph was pure in heart. He stood the test. They made him a slave to old man Potiphar and he became a trusty in Potiphar's house. And no trusty ever performed with finer nobility than Joseph. And because he was pure in heart Potiphar's wife had him put in jail. But you can't keep a good man down. He got out of jail, this dreamer and this interpreter of dreams did. And because he was a dreamer whose dreams rang true he got up next to the king and became food administrator over the whole land. He was a bigger man than Hoover.

He was a dreamer all right, but when the famine came he was found to be the most practical of all men—and he had the food that carried the people through the famine. He had the corn.

I heard William J. Bryan speak in Convention Hall in Kansas City one time. He said that he had been accused of being a dreamer. One statesman had come up to Bryan's home town of Lincoln and charged him with being a dreamer. Then another statesman had made a speech somewhere else in the country and accused him of being a dreamer. Then two other statesmen had made the charge that he was a dreamer.

It looked serious. There was the indictment and there were four splendid witnesses. He said he concluded that with four such witnesses against him he could not be acquitted in any court of the land.

So he decided he would plead guilty.

Then he began to cast about in history to see if he could find any excuse or any justification for a man who is a dreamer. He came to the story of Joseph, a boy who dreamed dreams and generated envy in the breasts of his brothers. They sold him into a far country. He went down there and he became a deram hero there just like he had been a dream hero in his home land. He was pulled out of jail and set up by the side of the king, because of his vision and wide ability. He took charge of things. He piled up big piles of corn. He got together more corn than you probably ever saw at any one time or any two times or any ten or fifteen or twenty

or hundred times in your life.

Mr. Bryan told the story about how the brothers came down into Egypt, and how Joseph the dreamer supplied their every want, and how he rose as supreme and practical master of the situation. And he wound up the whole story with words something like these:

"It's all right to be a dreamer—if you've got the corn."

Joseph had the corn.

Somebody raises the point that Joseph was a little hard on these brothers when he accused them of being spies and accused them of lying to him, and demanded that they meet so many heartbreaking requirements. I am on the side of Joseph again. He knew how bad these boys had been.

He wanted to know if they had got to be any better men. He wanted to know if they could be trusted. He wanted to prove them, test them, make sure of them. That's why he put them to the test—and all the time his heart thumped and yearned for them.

Joseph was all right about that. He loved his brothers. When he had his meeting with them to make himself known to them he sent the other people out so they would not see him break down. This tenderhearted Joseph. But it didn't do any good—for they heard him on the outside, and heard him all the way to the king's house—he wept so loud.

Joseph was all tenderness. If every fellow's brother were as tender as this brother was the whole world would be in fine shape.

I just feel like saying a few words about pits and jails.

Were you ever in a pit? Thrown in there? Was it dark in there and hopeless and was it a pit of despair in every sense of the word? And did had people work around to have you thrown there? Maybe it was not a pit in the ground. There are all kinds of pits.

Joseph was put in a pit.

He was put in there by bad brothers.

And the bad deed is none the less bad because of what followed.

But what did follow? Why, that blessed boy went from that pit to the finest position of power and usefulness down in Egypt. The brothers took him out of a pit of dirt and threw him into the pit of slavery.

But out of it all came Joseph, the wonder man of the times.

Wasn't Potiphar's wife a mean woman though? She had Joseph thrown into a dungeon or jail. But he kept his head there and kept brave and sweet and strong; and out of the darkness he came forth into

the light.

We are short of sight. If you are in some kind of a pit of despair, the thing to do is not to lose your poise, your grip on God, your faith, your courage. The thing to do is to keep a stiff upper lip, a brave heart, a sweet soul and stand true—and the God of your fathers will make the evil's work to praise him and he will ring you forth into a finer state of character and a grander glory of heart.

God overruled teh bad boys that threw Joseph into the pit.

God overruled the bad boys that sold Joseph to the Ishmaelites.

God overruled the Ishmaelites that sold Joseph to the captain of the king's guard.

God overruled the forces that threw Joseph into jail.

And God pulled the dreamer through it all a clean, bold, bright, polished man—one of the finest men that the world knows anything about.

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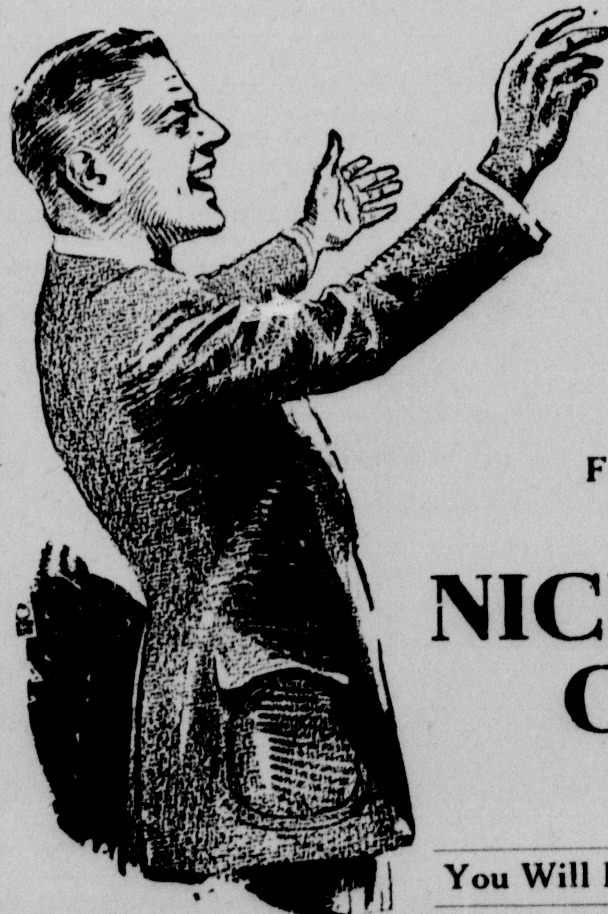
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Attend Choir Concert
Mrs. F. P. Reuillard and daughter, Mrs. Don Martin, attended the concert which the St. Olaf Lutheran Choir gave last night at the Auditorium in St. Joseph.

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**PICKERING
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Oris Faulconer and family have moved into the Morris property lately vacated by A. W. Smith.

John Morris returned last Saturday from Poplar Bluff, Mo., where he was called the first of the week by the death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens moved this week from Pickering to a farm they have rented eight miles east of Hopkins. Their property here is now occupied by Asa Wagner and family.

Miss Belle Leach returned Thursday from Auburn, New York, where she has been staying with relatives for over a year and will occupy her property in the west part of town.

A. W. Daves, a former Pickering resident, but now living near Shilo, South Dakota, visited old acquaintances here Wednesday. He drove over from Sheridan where he was called several days ago by the illness of his mother, who is suffering from a paralytic stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Null drove to St. Joseph last Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mrs. Null's sister, Mrs. A. It McGlothlin. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Gladys of Ossawatimie, Kansas, who is spending the week visiting relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Knouse announce the birth of a daughter on Wednesday whom they have named Winifred Ruth. The new town board composed of J. C. Carmichael, C. B. Reed, J. W. Mobley, W. C. Smith and W. R. McKee met last Friday evening and organized by electing W. R. McKee president and secretary.

The board of education of the Pickering Independent district met last Friday evening and after the new directors, L. L. Hood and C. B. Reed were sworn in, organized by electing W. C. Smith, president and E. O. Gray, vice-president.

School Notes.

The grammar department of the Pickering school district exhibited a number of articles in the school fair at Maryville last Saturday and received five first prizes and three second prizes. The winners of the first prizes were: Composition, Olive Boyd; Good English, Poster, Galen McGinness; Apron, Hazel Scott; Penmanship, Donald Johnson; Physiology Paper, Olive Boyd. The winners of second prizes were: Good English Poster, Olive Boyd; Business Letter, Marie McGinness; Tea Towel, Donald Johnson. They will exhibit the work at the Hopkins school fair on Friday, April 13.

Miss Helen Spangler spent the week end at her home in Maryville last week.

The girls of the junior and senior classes assisted by Mrs. Moore surprised Miss Kemper with a picnic dinner Thursday in honor of her birthday. Those participating were Pauline Swinford, Crystal Copeland, Muriel Scott, Helen Strong, Mildred Bainum, Lois King, Ruth Clayton, Miriam Geyer, Wanda Hinton, Hazel Harrington, Mildred Smith, Ethel Stanton and Mrs. Moore.

Miss Bess Kemper spent last Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. R. B. Gex, Jr., at her home south of Maryville.

Miss Helen Strong spent Thursday afternoon in Maryville.

Misses Mildred Bainum, Bess Kemper and Mrs. Ruby Moore spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Houston.

George Ellis Bainum spent the week end with Mrs. Ruby Moore at her home in Maryville last week.

Miss Kemper and Mrs. Ruby Moore spent Wednesday evening with friends in Hopkins and attended a radio concert.

Mrs. Walter Johnson and son, Donald, Mrs. John Hollensbe and children, Lola Johnnie and Marguerite Swinford attended the school fair at Maryville last week.

Christian Church.

It was very gratifying to see that we kept the number above the hundred mark again last Saturday. We thought that when the roads got good and that the sickness took a notion to quit our midst you people would begin coming back to Sunday School. Come again next Sunday. It would be a shame to let the mark get below 100 during the summer months. We shall look for you again next Sunday and if you were not there last Sunday so that we can say "again" we shall be glad to have you come anyway.

The contest between the boys and girls waxed warm again last Sunday. They raced to a tie that day with 1,050 miles each. Although the boys lost the race by about 700 miles, they have challenged the girls to a race on the way back. Will you take them on for the return race, girls? Sure you will, and show them another fast pace. It was fine to see 19 boys in the class last Sunday. See if we can increase that number to 20. It can be done.

John Bosch, adult leader, and Thelma Mann, Naomi Swaney and Laurice Grey as delegates, went to Skidmore last Monday to represent our Sunday School at the Conference of the Older Boys and Girls of Nodaway. The pastor went down Tuesday morning for the

sessions that day and evening. All came back with lots of pep and we will probably have their reports at church next Sunday morning.

Remember, folks, our state convention convenes at the First Church in Kansas City next week, April 17, and we have not selected our delegates for it. Come prepared to select them Sunday. Of course, if you don't want the church represented there a good way to accomplish that is to turn down all propositions to have the church represented. But, certainly, we won't want to do that. Let's send at least two to Kansas City.

Last week the pastor announced his sermon titles for the next few weeks. Here is the list as it stands now. Sunday, April 15, morning: "The Church—What It Has Done;" night, "Have You Raked Your Own Back Yard?" April 22, morning, "The Church—What It Can Do;" night, "Can a Preacher Tell the Truth?" April 29, morning, "The Church—What It Doesn't Do;" night, "The Spring Rains." May 6, morning, "The Church—What Must It Do to Be Saved?" Night, "Do You Use Your Seed Catalogue?"

Remember, Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock. Preaching services at 11 and 8 o'clock.

Methodist Church

The pastor was greeted by a good congregation at Myrtle Tree Sunday morning. They are having a fine Sunday School.

Miss Mary Scott represented our Sunday school at the Skidmore Young People's conference Monday and Tuesday.

The Wesleyans will meet at the church next Thursday, April 19. Their Easter sale and luncheon netted them about \$65.00 for parsonage improvement.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Edgar Houston, who has been ill all winter has so far recovered as to be able to get away from home. We also rejoice in the gradual recovery of Mrs. Dale Wiley from a serious illness.

Preaching at Pickering Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

OBITUARY.

Edna Beryl Andrews.

Have you seen the sun go down before the appointed hour of sunset? The clouds of the storm have overspread the sky and the sun was hidden from view. No matter how anxiously you sought, its lovely rays could not be found.

So in the home of Brother Ralph Farrens, the sun went down while it was yet day, when his beloved wife went home to be with her God. Last Sunday evening when she heard the call of a loving voice that was heard far above the discordant note of pain, and hearing she answered and loosed her barque of life on eternity's sea, sailing for the land where discords are never known.

This sun did go down while it was yet day. It was only twenty-six years ago when the sun rose with joyous brightness in the home of Brother and Sister Andrews, Edna had come to live at their home. It was a happy even in that home life. There passed the happy hours of youth and school days of adventure, as she traveled from realm to realm of knowledge. Then standing behind the teacher's desk she dispensed knowledge to those who came for instruction.

Then the 22nd day of January, 1919, came into her life and with it the husband of her choice, when she was married to Mr. Ralph Farrens. God gave to them a lovely baby daughter, Geneva Marie. How happy was that family circle.

Mrs. Farrens was converted to the Lord Jesus Christ when she was eleven years of age, uniting with the Methodist Episcopal Church. She has lived a Christian life since that time. In a conversation with her mother she said recently, "I know that everything is

all right between God and me."

A little over three weeks ago she was taken sick, and for a time was in the hospital, then was brought to her home where she died. She leaves to mourn her demise her husband, daughter, her father and mother, two brothers, Everett Lowell Andrews of San Diego, Cal., and George Dennis Andrews, and many friends who sympathize with the family at this time.

While 'tis true that her sun went down while yet 'tis day, it is also true that it shall rise again where suns never set. In the land of love where God abides forever.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

**ADAMS EMPLOYED AT
BARNARD AT \$1800 PER YEAR**

A. S. Biagg is Retained As Principal at \$125 Per Month—Mrs. Daniels and Miss Velma Adams Employed.

At a meeting of the Barnard school board held early this week, Ed Adams superintendent was re-employed at the same salary he received last year, \$1800 for the year. This will make the third term that Supt. Adams will have been in the Barnard schools.

A. S. Biagg was re-employed as principal of the high school at a salary of \$125 per month, this being the same that he received last year. Mrs. Verdie Daniels was re-employed at the last year salary of \$90 per

month for the intermediate room. Miss Velma Adams was also retained at her old salary of \$85 in the primary room.

The vacancies in the school now are those of grammar room and assistant in the high school, the present teachers in those positions not being applicants for the position.—Barnard Bulletin.

**To Make Probe Into
Shipment of Live Stock**

Topeka, Kan., April 12—The state utilities commission is planning to make a thorough probe into the shipment of livestock by railroads, in the near future, it was learned here

today. The purpose of the investigation, according to members of the commission, will be to ascertain if there is a marked delay in the handling of livestock, as some of the shippers have charged in their complaints.

Every railroad which traverses the sunflower state, will be asked by the commission to make a detailed report of each livestock shipment originating in Kansas for the month of May, whose destination is other points in the state, or Kansas City and St. Joseph, Mo., markets.

Full consideration of these reports as well as the complaints, will be made by the commission at a hearing which will be held here early in June, it was said.

Wanted Rooms! Rooms! Rooms! More Rooms!

600 to 800 beds will be needed to take care of the contestants during the "TRACK MEET" April 26, 27 and 28.

In order to have enough beds to take care of all of the contestants it will be necessary for Maryville people to open up their homes more generally than ever before.

Please phone in your list to the Chamber of Commerce, Hanamo 639, Farmers 120, if possible before next Wednesday, because we will turn this list over to the committee on assignments at the College, who will assign the rooms to the different schools, send the assignments to the Superintendent and notify you who has been assigned to your home.

It will save much confusion if you will arrange to have someone at home when trains arrive in Maryville.

Do not take people other than those for whom you have listed rooms for the College unless you have more beds for rent than those engaged for the contestants.

Price of rooms to be 50c per night for each occupant.

APRIL IS TREE PLANTING MONTH

PLANT EARLY: Apple, Cherry, Peach, Plum, Pear and other Fruit Trees; Shade Trees, Evergreens, Shrubs, Vines, Hedging, Grape Vines, Gooseberries, Currants, Blackberries, Raspberries, Dewberries, Strawberries, Rhubarb, Asparagus, etc.

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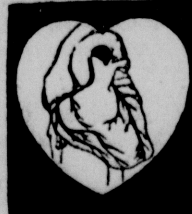
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FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

BATH TUBS—\$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 566. Kane Building. A3tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves, furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

FOR SALE—Parts for all kinds of implements. Largest stock in northwest Missouri. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J 23tf

FOR SALE—5 male spotted Poland-Chinas, purebred; year old next August. Tom Lyons, Farmers 38-13. 13-16*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Improved 1,620-acre ranch in Hooker county, Neb., half valley, three wired fence, hedge posts, seven fields. J. T. Hays, 405 W. 12th, Maryville. M10tf

FOR SALE—Reduced prices on repairs for all kinds of implements. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J29tf

FOR SALE—Feather bed and sewing machine 1009 E. Second Hanamo, 6568. 13-16

Alfalfa, Sudan and Cane Seed, Holt Supply Co. A7tf

Used Car Bargains—
1-1921 Sedan, extra good.
1-1918 Sedan, repainted.
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1-1918 Coupe, fair.
2-1920 Touring, good condition.
1-1919 Touring, winter top.
1-1917 Touring.
1-1920 Runabout, starter.
1-1920 Truck.
Barmann Auto Co., authorized Ford agents.

FOR SALE—Bunch of pigs, 14th and Dewey. 13-16

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, will consider good horse in trade. L. E. Lyle, Hanamo 3 L. 11-13

FOR SALE—Seed potatoes and home made kraut, 422 S. Vine. 12-14*

Bargain price on timothy and sweet clover seed while present stock lasts. Ray's, Cor. 3rd and Market. 13-16

FOR SALE—Fine white sow and 8 fine pigs, 417 E. 1st. 12-14

Frost proof cabbage plants, seeds, and blooming plants. Strader & Clapper, 217 North Main. Phone 288. 11-13

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, 65c a 100. J. A. Clark, 514 Prather, Farmers 41-15. 9-11

For mites I'll use Carbolineum. It lasts a year. Holt Supply Co. M3tf

STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Senator Dunlap and Warfield, extra nice, plants ready any time. Harve England, Hanamo 3268. A9tf

FOR RENT—80 acre farm, call E. C. Culp. Farmers 182. 11-13*

FOR SALE—A snap, 6-room house, 2 lots, \$3,500; 13 lots on Normal avenue, good terms. See J. T. Hays.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—phone me if you have horses or mules for sale and I will call and invoice them, and I have good farm mares and mules for sale or exchange for geldings. I guarantee all representations. Jim Andy Ford. F8tf

LISTEN MEN, YOU who are not satisfied with the small weekly wage you receive, see Young at 315 South Main. A proposition with an unlimited salary. 11-13

FOUND—State license No. 85-539 and tail light. Owner call this office. 11-13

WANTED—Carpets and rugs to weave. Will work ingrain carpets into rugs. Reasonable prices. Mrs. Watson Richey, 1/2 mile north Wilcox, Mo. 11-13

Earn \$20 weekly, spare time, at home, adding, mailing, music, circulars. Send 10c for music, information. American Music Co. 1653 Broadway, Dept. 18-F, N. Y. 16-28*

Hemstitching & picot work. Mrs. J. C. Clapper, Maryville, Mo., P. O. box No. 16. 11-13

WANTED TO BUY—second hand motorcycle, prefer Indian cycle. Call at this office. 9-20

Trucking of all kinds. Logan and Cox. Farmers 237-16 and 130, Hanamo 178. 11-18*

LOST—Gray and brown checked overcoat, probably in east part of town. Return to Farmers Trust. 11-13*

The Maryville Seed and Storage House with its full line of field and garden seeds is now ready to meet any legitimate competition. First door north of post office. Smith & Braniger. 17-1M

FOR RENT—Furnished front room in modern cottage, available May 1. Hanamo 3256 or 5509. 12-18

WANTED—Plain sewing, fancy work or house work; go home nights. Call Democrat-Forum. 12-14*

TYPISTS—Earn \$25-\$100 weekly, spare time, copying authors' manuscripts. Write R. J. Carnes, Authors' Agent, Tallapoosa, Ga. for particulars. 12-14*

FOR RENT—Modern 10 room house garage and large garden. See or call Oren N. Lanning. M.11tf

WANTED—An experienced gardener to put in small garden for himself in exchange for care of lawn. Call Hanamo 4097.

CURTAINS and all kinds of fine fabrics to laundry and also family washings. Now located on East First street, Hanamo 545. Mrs. Anna Belcher. 9-21

WANTED—Two neat appearing men for special advertising sales proposition. Good pay and permanent work for men who can qualify. No investment or experience necessary. Address "D" this office. 10-14*

Tailoring Agents—Make \$100 weekly selling Simpson made to order summer suits \$17.50 and \$19.50 also our famous all wool suits \$29.50. Commissions daily. Beautiful assortment 6x9 swatches free. No experience needed. Can use spare time men if hustlers. J. B. Simpson, Dept. 580, 813 Adams, Chicago, Ill. 13*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 6,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 28,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000.

St. Louis, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 1,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 150.

Kansas City, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 1,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 8,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

St. Joseph, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 1,200.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,300; top \$8.15.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.
All steady.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per dozen	20c
Butterfat, per lb.	43c
Springs, per lb.	35c
Hens, per lb.	17c
Roosters, per lb.	6c
Ducks, per lb.	11c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides per lb.	7c

Poultry

Vigorous pure bred S. C. Reds, good dark red color hog-an tested. Eggs utility \$4.00 per hundred. Month of April pen No. 1, \$1.50 per setting. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Ed Shreve, Pickering.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Single Comb Red hatching eggs, Murry strain, dark red utility flocks, \$4 per hundred. Special mating, \$8 per hundred. Mrs. E. F. Hammond, Farmers phone 46-17. 10-16

EGGS—For hatching, pure bred White Rocks, \$3.50 per 100. Mrs. Henry Cook, both phones. 13-27*

Buff Orpington eggs for hatching, \$3.75 per 100; 75c per setting. Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Farmers 30-11. 12-16*

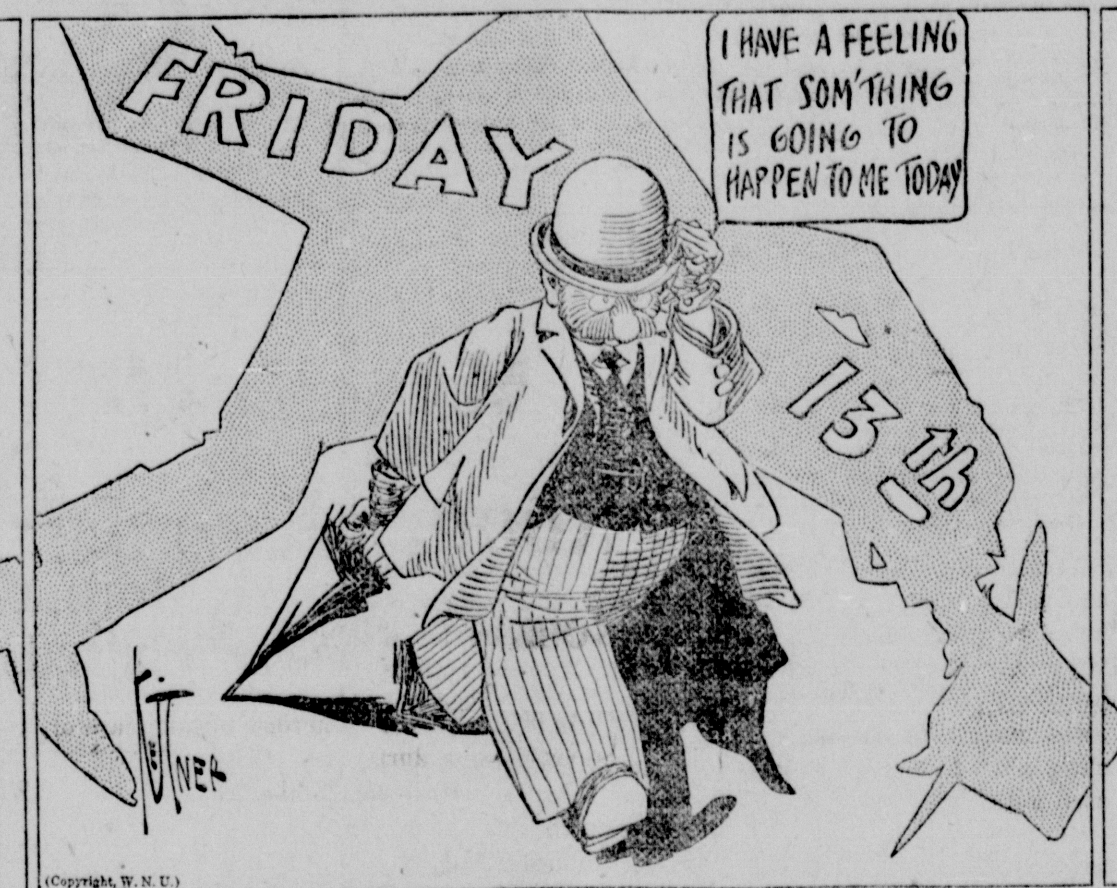
FOR SALE—S. C. Buff Orpington eggs for hatching, first pen, \$3; 2nd pen \$2.50 per 100. Ralph Masters, Hanamo 4721. 13-16

S. C. Brown Leghorn eggs for hatching, \$3.00 per 100. Mrs. Florence De Bord. Farmers 23-17. 10-24*

Eggs for hatching, pure bred Buff Leghorns, kind that lay. \$3.50 per 100. Mrs. J. L. Tebow, Farmers 8-20, Maryville. 9-14*

R. I. RED—Hatching eggs, \$3.50 per hundred. Mrs. G. W. Cain, Pickering. M 17-A 17

Being Shadowed



HARMONY.

The board of education held a called meeting Thursday for the purpose of organizing for the coming year. G. H. Nall was elected president and L. King vice-president. The board now consists of the above named and in addition B. S. Cox, secretary; J. N. Alexander, treasurer; J. E. Porter, M. A. Brown, and Victor Wray. The report of the treasurer showed the finances to be in a very favorable condition.

An optimist is one who fails to see the hair in the butter, while a pessimist is one who sees it when it isn't there.

Mrs. B. S. Cox and Mrs. G. H. Nall were callers at the home of little Miss Freddie Josephine Alexander last Thursday evening.

Quite a large acreage of oats was sown in this neighborhood last week and the farmers report the ground working fine.

Robert Adams, wife and little son, Zorinus and B. K. Lewis and family were visiting friends in the vicinity of Skidmore Sunday.

Just imagine Mark Twain or Senator Robert LaFollette with patent leather hair.

Our debating team traveled to Chula last Friday to meet the team of that place in the semi-finals in the debates in the Fifth District League. We lost to Chula, but our team made a very creditable showing. This is the second year that our school has been in the district debates and to get into the semi-finals was quite an achievement. Miss Dorris McKee accompanied the new members of the team, Miss Vera Brown and Fay Woodson Nall and coach, W. L. Lewis. The entire party returned home Saturday morning. Talk of southern hospitality—those folks at

Men, women, salary \$75 full time, \$1.50 an hour spare time; selling the genuine guaranteed hosiery direct to wearer, beautiful line. International Mills, Norristown, Pa. 13*

Taken by mistake note book at at school fair at courthouse. Return to Democrat-Forum. 13-16*

FOR RENT—4 room house, 123 N. Davis. Isaac Bliss, Hanamo 5207. 13-16*

Chula have the South backed clear off the map. They also treated us fine, and our only regret was that we could not repay their kindness by winning the decision.

Henry Ford certainly won't get very far as a presidential candidate till he makes his ears with doors that will open and shut without a wrestle.

Roy Wells received quite a serious injury Wednesday of last week when he was kicked on the knee by a refractory mule. He is reported as getting along all right.

E. E. Saunders and family were visiting the former's parents near Pickering. E. E. has a handsome new baby in the family just lately. It's a "Baby Overland."

A good congregation attended the morning service last Sunday. The theme of the discourse was "Prayer" and the pastor showed very clearly the importance of prayer in the Christian's life. It is planned to carry out the "Every Member Campaign," and "go to church" visitation next Sunday and the evening service will be a report of

Opportunities In Real Estate

For Sale---Special

7 room house, modern except heat. 2 good lots, barn and chicken house, northwest Maryville. Must sell at once to settle estate. Price reduced to \$3750.

See OTIS & HERNDON.

The Honeysuckle about one's OWN HOME smells sweeter than those about a rented place.

FOR SALE: 60 acres known as the "Elm Grove" Stock Farm, located 1/2 mile north of the State Teachers College. Improvements are thoroughly modern, having city water and electric lights. House has ten large rooms. Two barns. Plenty of out-buildings for stock. All smooth land. Will sell at an attractive price. For particulars see—

ALLEN BROS., "The Land Men."

HOME—What does it mean to a man to behold all the castles in the world, but has not a cottage of his own?

FOR SALE—20 acre tract, improvements, adjoining the city limits. Also some good modern residences close in.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

In keeping with the tendencies with the time we have reduced our prices possible without interfering with or cheapening the quality of workmanship or service. We are in better position to give you better results today than ever before and sincerely hope that you will give us an opportunity to prove our contentions.

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the work done during the afternoon—talks touching different phases of the church activity for the coming year. Interspersed with songs of a special character. It is hoped all members will be present both morning and evening.

M. A. Brown, who has been having quite a tussle with the flu, is out among his friends again.

Mr. Gibbany, high school inspector, made a brief call at the high school building Friday morning. He was accompanied by Supt. L. G. Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Floren Porter and son, Orlo Preston, were Sunday visitors at the home of L. E. Moore.

Rev. Underwood and family spent Sunday afternoon at the home of C. A. Hunt.

J. E. Porter and family spent Sunday at the home of Everett Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley and family were visiting Sunday at the home of Sam Craven.

The pupils and teacher of Common Sense observed Arbor Day by setting out some trees and shrubs in the school yard. Some very nice flower beds were also constructed.

Miss Helga Claycomb, Viola Krugh, Mrs. Olin Krugh, Mrs. Dale Simmons and two sons, Fay and Orlo Layon attended the track meet at Ravenwood Saturday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Spurgeon, Eldora McMahon and Jennie McMahon were visitors at the home of Mrs. Lucy Blackman last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Nall and daughter, Cleta went to Maryville Sunday afternoon.

John Anderson had the misfortune to lose a cow by founder last Saturday.

J. L. Partridge of Maryville is at the home of Arta Craven this week.

James Woodburn is preparing to build a new home to replace the one recently lost by fire.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ingram is quite ill with pneumonia.

Rev. Underwood and Harry Martin were trading in Maryville last Monday.

Ehel, Mo., Bank Ordered Closed

Ehel, Mo., April 13.—The Bank of Ehel is closed today while bank examiners are going over its accounts. One of the bank officials is missing, it is stated, but his identity has not been disclosed. The bank was ordered closed last night by order of the state finance commission. It had been considered one of the strongest banks in Macon County.

Patrolman's Slayer Electrocuted Today

Columbus, O., April 13.—Alternately laughing and crying, Stanley Forber, 26, convicted of the slaying of Granison Keohler, Columbus patrolman on November 28, came to his death in the electric chair at the Ohio state penitentiary here early today.

Forber concealed his identity until a short time before his death. He was arrested as Stanley Forbes, alias "Slim" Brady and James Martin.

Two currents were used on the chair. At 12:10 a. m. he was pronounced dead. Forber and three other gunmen battled the Columbus police, Keohler being killed and another patrolman injured.

Former Resident Here

Ed Tebow of Fort Collins, Colo., a former resident of Maryville, came yesterday noon to spend a few days on business and to visit his brothers, Charles C. Tebow and J. L. Tebow.

Thad Wilderman of Denver, Colo., is spending a few days here on business.

Card of Thanks

We can't find words to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us by our friends and neighbors during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and daughter; also for the many beautiful flowers.

Ralph D. Farrens,
E. J. Andrews and Family.

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"COLD IN THE HEAD"

is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "run down" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a treatment consisting of an Ointment to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the blood on the mucous surfaces, building up the system, and making you less liable to "colds." Sold by druggists for over 40 years. E. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

SEEDS

ALFALFA—Grown in Nebraska and N. E. Kansas, best suited for this section.

SWEET CLOVER—White, yellow, scarified, are dependable seeds.

RED CLOVER—Best grade, no buck horn.

SOY BEANS—The "Wilson" best hay and all purpose bean, my own growing, are a fine lot.

OTHER FIELD SEEDS. Incubator for alfalfa and sweet clover feed. 1st floor north East Estate Bank.

ELMER FRASER.

Californian Is Here With View of Staying

Demand For Rentable Houses In Maryville Exceeds Supply Says Realtors—Prices Are Upward

J. J. McNeff of Long Beach, California, was in Maryville today looking the town over and inspecting Nodaway County land with a view to locating in Maryville. Mr. McNeff had never been in Maryville before, having lived in Minnesota before going to California. So far he had been very favorably impressed with Maryville.

One real estate man said today that there was a continual demand for houses to rent, a demand much greater than the town is able to supply. The demand is mostly from out-of-town persons, who wish to come here and rent a while before deciding whether or not to locate. All want modern houses and say they will locate here if favorably impressed with Maryville. The schools are responsible to a large extent for bringing families here.

Real Estate prices have reached "rock bottom" and show a trend upwards now, said another real estate man. Rents are higher than last year and land and real estate is selling higher than last year. He added that prices even yet were below normal or the real value of the property.

Masters House Sold.

Mrs. Ed Masters has sold her residence property at 515 North Fillmore street to J. S. Caldwell of the Maryville Auto Wrecking Company, who gets possession May 1. Mr. and Mrs. Masters and family will move to their house at 519 North Fillmore street which is being remodelled.

Graham Presbyterian Church Rev. Bostwick will preach at the Presbyterian Church in Graham at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, April 15.

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Kansas City Times Gives C. of C. Write-up

Editorial Headed "A Maryville Idea in Action"—Committed to Policy of Personal Service.

The following is from today's Kansas City Times:

What the Chamber of Commerce of Maryville, Mo., is doing to develop the trade territory of this Northwest Missouri town of five thousand population is furthering the small town's fight to halt the trend of business and population toward the larger cities. With a live business organization, committed to a policy of personal service, other small towns may as effectively hold and eventually expand their trade area.

About three years ago the Maryville Chamber of Commerce began an advertising campaign in the two local papers "to sell Nodaway County to Nodaway County." The people in that county and surrounding territory were told of the developed agricultural resources of Nodaway County, Maryville's school and church advantages. The campaign was of such merit that the business men on Broadway, New York City, later adopted the "Maryville idea" for an extensive advertising campaign.

During the last year, Maryville's business men have attended about 150 community meetings in all parts of Nodaway County. In the way of personal service, the organization frequently has been called on to settle disputes on questions of current interest. It even has aided in locating the lost wife of a traveling man, visiting in the town.

During the period between 1910 and 1920 more than eighty rural Missouri counties lost in population. There is one county in Central Missouri which has not as many people as it had fifty years ago. The leaders in the rural sections—particularly the small town business men—must awake to the situation before them. A little more of the Maryville spirit, which is showing the world what it has done, rather than boasting of its undeveloped advantages, would do much to advance the "Greater Missouri" program.

B 8th Ball Team Wins From A 8th, 14 to 8

The baseball season in Maryville has opened among the younger baseball enthusiasts here. Yesterday afternoon the team of the B 8th grade defeated the A 8th team by a score of 14 to 8. This is the third time this season that these two teams have met, the B 8th having won two of them. The line-ups yesterday were:

B8th: Breedlove, c; Dietz, p; Pugh, ss; Alexander, 1st; Fisher, 2nd; Woodburn, 3rd; Kenney, lf; Robertson, cf; and Dow, rf.

A 8th: Ray, c; Kissinger, p; Catterson, ss; Gibson, 1st; Somerville, 2nd; Petty, 3rd; Kever, lf; Pennington, cf; and Litch, rf.

Tarpley Items

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Reed and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinness.

Edna Frances Montgomery was a Monday afternoon caller at the home of Jennings Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cooper and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Culver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Donahue and family were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. W. H. Donahue of Maryville.

Quite a few of the boys have been absent from school this week, helping with the farm work. The fine weather has made farm work progress rapidly in this district.

Hazel McGinness called on Verne Reed Sunday afternoon.

Neva Smith spent Sunday with Edna Frances Montgomery.

Throat Slashed, He Accuses Wife

Mrs. J. M. Dryden Held When Her Husband Makes Charges.

Rock Port, Mo., April 13.—Mrs. J. M. Dryden is out on \$5,000 bond, charged with assault with intent to kill, and her husband, J. M. Dryden, retired Atchison county farmer, is suffering from a razor gash in his throat which nearly cost his life. Mrs. Dryden was arrested Wednesday night and lodged in the county jail, but L. A. Lawson of Weston, Mo., furnished \$5,000 bond today.

Rushing through the front door of a neighbor's house about 7 o'clock Wednesday night, with blood streaming from a wound in his throat, Mr. Dryden cried out:

"My wife has cut my throat!"

Mrs. Dryden came through the back door just a second afterward, and denied the accusation, declaring that Dryden cut his own throat. Dr. O. C. M. Chamberlain was summoned hastily and he took six stitches in the aged man's throat. It is believed that he will recover.

When news of the affair went around the town, it was recalled that just about a year ago Mr. Dryden's mother, about 90 years old, had been found dead in her son's home, her throat having been slashed from ear to ear with a razor. It was thought at that time that Mrs. Dryden had taken her own life. She was a highly respected woman and the community was shocked to hear the news of her death.

It is known that Mrs. Dryden has been questioned at the county jail concerning the affair, but refuses to say anything, except that her husband cut himself. They are an elderly couple, between 60 and 70 years of age, and have lived in Rock Port for several years, having retired after selling their farm.

Mr. Dryden is quoted as having said that he was asleep in a chair, and that his wife came up behind him, slashing him with the razor. He asserted that there was another razor in the house and a search was made for it.

Whatever the cause of the affair, Dryden came near to death, as Doctor Chamberlain said that just a slightly deeper cut would have ended his life.

The wounded man is known here as a quiet man, who had the quality of attending to his own business. So far as is known, he never had any such trouble before, while the reputation of his wife has been spotless.

Burlington Junction to Have Election

\$70,000 Bond Issue of Bonds to Be Voted On May 8 For Water Plant and Sewerage

The following is from this week's Burlington Junction Post:

Citizens of Burlington Junction will vote on May 8th on the proposed issue of \$70,000.00 in bonds for the construction of a modern water and sewerage disposal system for the city. The date for the election was set by ordinance at a meeting of the city council held Tuesday night.

The contemplated improvement will include a complete water system. The supply will be from wells, an inexhaustible supply of pure water being available at shallow depth here. The reserve store will be cared for by a 50,000 gallon tank, and fire hydrants will be installed at intervals all over town sufficient to give every residence property fire protection by the use of a few section hoses.

The sewer system will include two main sewer lines, joining near the Burlington railway tracks, and leading to the river. It will also include

lateral sewers serving all of the residence districts, thus giving the citizens a complete system with no chance for further expense in the future.

Wabash Hotel For Sale

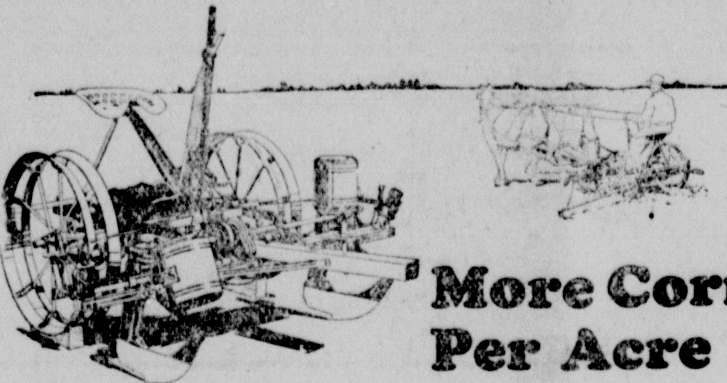
The Wabash hotel at Burlington Junction which is owned by the Wabash railway company is for sale, according to the Burlington Junction Post.

Broadbent Re-elected

Prof. J. M. Broadbent has been re-elected superintendent of the Parnell public schools for the coming year at an increase of \$200 in salary, making \$2,000 for the nine months term. —Parnell Sentinel.

Church of God Services

Elder Herbert Miles will preach Sabbath morning and evening also Sunday night at the Church of God.



More Corn Per Acre

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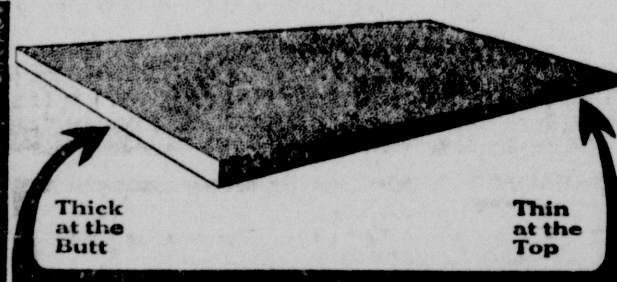
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Saturday, April 14—

Alice Calhoun in "One Stolen Night"

A tale of desert sands and feats of horsemanship. A romance of the Sahara. Also Roy Stewart in "GIANTS OF THE OPEN." Matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—10c and 22c. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Monday and Tuesday, April 16 and 17—

Harold Lloyd in "Grandma's Boy"

human comedy that searches the secret places of your heart, tickles your ribs, put the upward curve on your mouth, and makes you feel like a new-born person. A mint of joy—"GRANDMA'S BOY." Matinees Monday at 2:30 and 4:10—10c and 22c. Matinee Tuesday at 3:00—10c and 22c. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—22c and 33c.

OLDEST BUSINESS MAN CELEBRATES

NAT SISSON TODAY CELEBRATES BUSINESS START HERE.

STARTED 48 YEARS AGO

This Morning He Came Down to Same Office Before Other Employees—Early Reminiscences.

Forty-eight years ago this morning, Nathaniel Sisson, a young Maryville business man of 29, opened up a real estate, loan and abstract business in Nodaway Valley Bank building. Full of vim and vigor this young man took the flight of stairs two steps at a time, swept the office and started business.

Early this morning, long before any of the other members or employees of the Sisson Loan and Title Company were at the office, Nathaniel Sisson, 78 next month, dean of Maryville business men, came down to the office, was able to take two steps at a time, straightened up the office and started business as he had forty-eight years ago.

After getting the business for the day started, Mr. Sisson went down to the residence of L. A. Conder on First and Buchanan streets, where he was living at the time he began business, and looked over the old home place. When seen by a Democrat-Forum reporter this morning he was enjoying the April sunshine and talking with Newt Wray about the first political convention held in Maryville after the Civil War.

"They had trouble in politics then the same as they do now," said Mr. Sisson. "After the ticket had been selected a Republican ticket you understood; there were no Democrats here for all of them were in the rebel army," the howl was raised that there were too many Terhunes on the ticket. Finally L. H. Case, a relative of Terhune, was persuaded to withdraw from the ticket and Andrew Royal substituted in his place for probate judge. There were two Republican tickets in the field then.

"This convention was held in September, 1866, in the courthouse. Newt Wray was on the ticket, W. L. Johnson was named for county treasurer and John C. Terhune for circuit clerk and recorder. A. C. Votaw, editor of the Maryville Gazette, presided at the meeting."

"I was an applicant as a school teacher then," said Mr. Sisson, "and Mr. Votaw, in examining me just asked me two questions. He took me out behind the courthouse under a shade tree and said, 'Are you from Ohio?' I told him I was, then he asked, 'Do you have a teaching certificate?' I said yes, and the examination was over."

Mr. Sisson, a bugler of the Civil War, has the distinction of sounding the last hostile bugle call of the war, the call to "halt" at Appomattox on April 9, 1865. In speaking of a suggestion made yesterday at the New Orleans convention of the Confederate veterans by Dr. Geo. W. Harding, father of President Harding, that the "Blue and Gray" meet in joint session next year, Mr. Sisson said he thought it would be a good idea. "We're all too old to fight anyway," he added.

Mr. Sisson has been in continuous business in Maryville longer than any other merchant here that is now active. With H. C. Fisher, then cashier of the Farmers Bank (now known as the First National Bank) and Albert P. Morehouse, afterwards governor, he entered upon the real estate and abstract business on April 13, 1874. The business has been conducted at the same location since.

Mr. Sisson came to Maryville August 9, 1866. On arrival in this county, his first employment was as a farm hand, then school teacher, cabinet maker, county road and bridge commissioner for three years, studying surveying and engineering the while. In 1871 he engaged as an engineer with a firm of bridge contractors at St. Joseph and designed and superintended the construction of a large bridge over the Brazo river near Calvert, Texas, spanning the entire stream with one span of two hundred and sixty-six feet. He returned to Maryville in 1874.

Mr. Sisson was born May 25, 1845, in Meigs County, Ohio.

Mr. Sisson has seen many changes in Maryville in the years that he has been here. One of these is the fact that the streets are now lined with motor cars, whereas, when he first came even the buggy was unknown

As Interesting as Baseball.

Americans have more sense about baseball than about government, Attorney General Barrett told an audience in St. Louis day before yesterday, and they know more about batting averages than about the supreme court.

That is what comes of belonging to such a big and going concern as the United States of America. Most persons fail to realize that no concern, no matter how big and successful, can continue its success unless intelligent interest is taken in its management by the people who control it.

In its series, "What of America?" The Star is publishing the information that Americans ought to have if they are to maintain this government. It is believed that the people who are following these articles are realizing that the story of the growth of American institutions is fully as fascinating as baseball.—Kansas City Star.

"What of America?" is appearing each afternoon in the Democrat-Forum by special permission of The Kansas City Star.

and the oxcart with its yoke of steers was not an uncommon sight on the streets.

Mr. Sisson remembers when the first buggy was brought to Maryville. It was owned by a man named Joe Moreland, he says. The buggy was in use a large part of the time for all of Moreland's friends were anxious to borrow it for the purpose of taking their girl friends out for rides.

MAX OSER AND MATILDA WED?

ROCKEFELLER'S GRANDDAUGHTER AND RIDING MASTER WED

LIFT ON HOLLYMOON

Neither Miss McCormick Nor Major Oser Would Talk Concerning Marriage—Bride 18 Last Week.

London, April 13—Miss Matilda McCormick, 18-year-old granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, and Major Max Oser, middle-aged Swiss riding master, who have been engaged for more than a year, were secretly married in London yesterday, the International News Service were reliably informed this afternoon.

The couple, it was reported, left for places unknown on a honeymoon trip. Matilda became of age last week and friends said that she had been waiting to become 18 before marrying.

Major Oser and Matilda are said to have called on friends in London unexpectedly last night and excitedly announced that they had just been married under a special license. Both refused to say what services had been performed. They left soon afterward saying they were leaving on their honeymoon. Both Oser and Matilda were silent about their marriage as they have been throughout their entire romance.

When asked who performed the ceremony both shook their heads in the negative and were silenced. They refused to give the names of the witnesses. It was understood that Cyrus McCormick, grandfather of Matilda was in London recently, but it is not known whether or not he is still there. It was understood that Matilda was in Waybridge visiting friends and relatives but a search of Waybridge failed to reveal her whereabouts.

Texas Man Killed By Electric Cable

Orange, Texas, April 13—While repairing a cable near here, Aupha Turner, 46, came in contact with a live wire today and was instantly killed. The line man's body hung across the cable for a few moments then dropped to the ground.

6 Race Horses Are Back

Six of Ben Jones' race horses arrived from Havana, Cuba, Friday in charge of Glen Summa. His other horses were shipped to Bowie, Md., where they are entered in the races.—Parnell Sentinel.

EXCELSIORS AND PHILOS WINNERS

IN LAST NIGHT'S LITERARY CONTEST AT COLLEGE

WINNERS DECIDED TONITE

When Music, Declamation, Debate and Essay Victors Will Be Announced—Eurekans Trailing

The Philomathean and Excelsior Literary Societies of the College took the lead in the annual literary contests after winning first in last night's contests. Each of these two societies now have two victories to its credit, with the Eurekans trailing with one victory. However any of the societies may come out victorious if they win enough of tonight's contests.

Leo Halasay, Excelsior, won first last night in the oration with his subject, "Our Debt to Agitators." Jack Shelley, Eurekan, won second with his oration, "The Aftermath," and David Max, Philomathean, third with his oration, "Peace."

In the debate, Florine Pollard and Ira Young, Philomatheans upholding the affirmative won over Ethel Kaufman and Fred Kurtz of the Excelsiors. The subject under debate was, Resolved: That government ownership of the coal mines is desirable. Dr. C. C. James, the Rev. B. F. Cline and M. E. Ford, were the judges of last night's contests. Miss Gladys and Helen Buchanan of the Excelsior Society opened the program with a duet.

There is keen rivalry evident for tonight's contests as they decide the winners. The Excelsiors and Eurekans will clash in a debate over the subject of the necessity of an immediate increase in the navy. Harold Tobow and Frank McCombs will uphold the affirmative for the Excelsiors and Jack Shelley and Robert Nichols will defend the negative for the Eurekans.

In the declamation contests the entries are: Helen Tobow, Excelsior; Lillian Hall, Philomathean and Evelyn Raines, Eurekan.

In the music contests are: Excelsior quintet, composed of William Devore, Basil Frasier, Gladys and Helen Buellman and Fay Crox; Philomathean quartet composed of Josephine Miller, Grace Foster, Orpha Stewart, and Anna Houston; Eurekan quintet composed of Ruth Cline, Mabel Raines, Helen Miller, Helen Manifold and Marie Cloud.

The winners in the essay contests will be announced tonight following the program.

College Men to Judge Contests

Cooper, Richman and Keller to Darlington and Phillips and Glenn to Trenton.

Bert Cooper, L. A. Richman and Dr. Fred Keller of the College, left this afternoon for Darlington, where they will act as judges in the Gentry County literary contests to be held there tonight. Mr. Richman will judge the music contest and Mr. Cooper and Mr. Keller will judge the literary contests.

E. W. Glenn and Homer T. Phillips of the College faculty, left yesterday for Trenton, where they will assist in judging at the Trenton track meet taking place there today.

Mrs. Don Alexander of Burlington Jct., Dies

Was Brought to St. Francis Hospital Yesterday—Burial Will Be at Mount Moriah, Mo.

Mrs. Don Alexander of Burlington Junction, 18 years old, died at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening at St. Francis Hospital where she was admitted yesterday afternoon. Uremic poisoning was the cause of death. A baby son was born at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and died at 4 o'clock this morning. The body was taken to Mount Moriah, Mo., the former home of the family for burial.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Alexander is survived by her mother, Mrs. Leah C. Chambers, and two brothers, Rex and Neal Chambers, all living west of Burlington Junction. The Alexander home is also west of Burlington Junction.

Outlook Promising For Masonic Temple

Advance indications for a Masonic Temple are most encouraging, as shown by the first reports of the teams of the Masonic Building Association in their luncheon held last night at Pennington's Cafe. The teams have been working only three days and the reports last night showed that practically ninety percent of members canvassed have contributed loans toward the new building. There are eight teams working, composed of six men each.

A call meeting of the association will probably be called for the first of next week to go over the subscriptions and make further plans for the building.

M.H.S. RUNNING 2ND AT TRENTON

Special From Trenton.

Maryville High School track athletes were running second in the Trenton track meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock after six of the sixteen events had been run off. Trenton was leading with 17½ points and Maryville was runner-up with 8½ points.

For Maryville, Johnny Smith won first in the half-mile setting a time of 2:10 3-5. Roelofson tied for third in the pole vault, Davis of Trenton winning first at a height of 9 feet, 9 inches. George Aley placed fourth in the low hurdles, the winner's time being 27:1. "Bunk" Miller placed fourth in the quarter, the winner's time in this event being 55 sec., lowering the old record of 55:2.

Ten more events to be run off including the relay and Maryville has an excellent chance of finishing first or a close runner-up. A big crowd is attending the meet and ideal weather prevails. Hugh Graham, Homer T. Phillips of the College and Marve Peery are judges at the finish and William Mapel is a timer.

Shane King Makes Annapolis Varsity

One of the Eight on Rowing Team that Will Compete with Harvard, Yale and Princeton

Shane King, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. King of Maryville, and a sophomore in the Annapolis naval school, has made the varsity rowing team of the navy school. A picture of the rowing team appeared recently in the Washington papers.

For the past few years Annapolis has had the championship rowing team of the country. Last year seven of the varsity men were graduated, and King, who made the Freshman team last year, went into the varsity rowers this year. If the Annapolis eight defeats Harvard, Yale, Cornell and Princeton, they will go to the Olympic games next year. It is considered quite an honor to make the navy rowing team.

Governmental Party Back to Washington

Washington, April 13—Completing a 6,500 mile trip to Panama Bay and return, the Transport, Henderson, carrying Secretary of the Navy, Edwin Denby and a party of senators and congressmen, docked at the Washington navy yards this afternoon. The Henderson came direct from San Juan, Porto Rico, where they had witnessed the inauguration of Harrison M. Towner, new Porto Rican governor.

Ernest Latin Falls Under Disc; Injured

Ernest Latin, who is employed at the Roy Lippman farm, southeast of Maryville, received painful wounds on the legs and hips Tuesday when he fell under a disc. He was brought to St. Francis hospital and fifty-seven stitches were taken to close his wounds. Mr. Latin lost control of four mules hitched to the disc when a young male became frightened and in trying to jump from the disc, fell under it, the sharp steel wheels running over the legs and hips.

Gene Cummins Will Open Up Office Here

Gene Cummins who has recently completed the regular and post-graduate courses at Noddies Institute and has practised nearly a year in Kansas City, has opened up an office with his father, Dr. W. C. Cummins. Mr. Cummins is equipped with the latest instruments to examine and correct vision.

WINNERS PICKED IN SPEAKING PRELIMS

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WILL GO INTO FINALS.

3 BOYS AND 6 GIRLS

Are Chosen in Oratory and Declamation—Finals Tuesday—To Pick Cattle Judges.

Ralph Graves, Clement Rickman and Stewart Tulloch were chosen winners this morning in the boys' oratorical preliminaries held at the high school to go into the finals to pick a representative of the school in the coming contest at the College. Graves won on his oration, "The Spirit of Robert Lee;" Rickman won on, "The Immigrant Speaks;" and Tulloch won on, "The New South." Six boys were entered in the contest this morning. The finals will be held next Tuesday evening.

The boys who spoke this morning and their subjects are as follows:

Extrasts from President Wilson's first inaugural address—Joe Graves. "The Spirit of Robert Lee"—Ralph Graves.

"The Greatest Battle ever Won"—Jesse Michaelson. "The New South"—Stewart Tulloch.

"The Immigrant Speaks"—Clement Rickman. "The Voice of Armenia"—Walter Allen.

Six girls were chosen by the judges to compete in the finals in declamatory speaking, following the preliminaries that were held this week. The girls were picked from those who were in the preliminaries this week. They are Alyce Allen, Laura Margaret Raines, Mildred Newt, Marie Chandler, Clydia Bratcher, and Blanche Anderson.

The finals, on Tuesday evening, will be to pick the students who will represent the school in the contests at the college. There will be finals in girls' declamation, boys' oratory and extemporaneous speaking.

The high school musicians are preparing themselves for the big pre-contest program, to be given next Monday evening. The program will consist of the selections, that will be presented in the spring contests at the College. The proceeds of the program will go to the treasury of the high school athletic association, which is in sore need of a little money. This will be the chance for the Maryville people to hear the high school talent, and everyone, who likes to hear good music, is urged to come. The program will be printed in tomorrow's paper.

H. G. Tilley, vocational agricultural instructor, took a number of his students to the Geo. D. Sorrie farm, southwest of Maryville, this morning to judge cattle as preliminary training to the selection of a cattle judging team to enter the College contests. Mr. Tilley picked the boys, who are to be on the stock judging team, late this afternoon. The four boys who will be on the team are: Homer Ogden, Arthur Harman, LeRoy Jones and Eldon Dow. The will enter the cattle judging contest at the College meet, this month.

Mrs. Iva Carriger Arrested in St. Joe

Was Brought Here on a Charge of Common Assault, Having Used a Knife on Madge Gunn

Mrs. Iva Carriger, colored, was arrested at St. Joseph this morning by Sheriff Steve Roach on a charge of using a knife on Madge Gunn, colored, at the home of Mrs. Mamie Gunn at 1102 East Cooper street. In the fight, Miss Gunn received an ugly cut across her arm, it being necessary to take seventeen stitches.

It was said that Mrs. Carriger went to the Gunn home about 9 o'clock last evening for her husband, Time Carriger, who has been staying at the Gunn home, Mrs. Gunn being his aunt.

Mrs. Carriger inquired for her husband and was finally ordered to leave the place by Madge Gunn. It was at this time that Mrs. Carriger pulled out a knife and used it. Later on during the night, Mrs. Carriger went to St. Joseph, being driven there.

The charge against Mrs. Carriger was made common assault.

At St. Francis Hospital.

Mrs. Elias Brown, living west of Orrsburg, was brought to St. Francis hospital yesterday afternoon to undergo treatment for gall stones and complications.

Pesek Pins Zbyszko in Straight Falls

Former Champ Is in Hospital Today Threatened With Concussion of Brain—Last Fall in 3 Minutes

Kansas City, April 13—Stanislaus Zbyszko, former wrestling champion is in the hospital today suffering from injuries that threatened concussion of the brain, sustained last night in the rough go with John Pesek, Nebraska Tiger.

Pesek defeated Zbyszko in straight falls. The first one came after an even hour of terrific work by means of a head scissors and a double wrist lock. The second fall took only three minutes, Zbyszko being stood on his head in the first go and was unable to rise for several minutes. An x-ray photograph will be taken to determine the extent of his injuries. Physicians said today that he did not believe his injuries would prove serious.

PLAN FOR HOUSING TRACK MEET GUESTS

OVER A THOUSAND VISITORS MUST BE CARED FOR.

NEW PLAN THIS YEAR

Contestants Will Know in Advance Where They Will Stay—Entries Close Next Tuesday.

Preparations were started today to care for the thousand or more overnight visitors to the annual Northwest Missouri High School contests and track meet to be held here April 26, 27 and 28 under the auspices of the State Teachers College.

Residents of Maryville will have to open up their homes more than they ever did before and furnish beds for the visiting high school contestants. All persons, who will furnish lodgings for contestants, are asked to call the Chamber of Commerce immediately stating the number they can take care of. Persons who have rooms to be used only in an emergency are requested to also notify the Chamber and these will be placed upon a separate list and not used until the others are exhausted. Those in charge have requested that the rooms be listed before next Wednesday.

A new system is being used this year in caring for the rooming problem. As soon as the list is compiled of persons who will rent rooms for this occasion it will be turned over to the assignment committee at the college. All entries to the events must be in by next Tuesday night. The entries then will be assigned in advance to rooms, using lists furnished by the Chamber of Commerce. The room assignments will then be sent to the superintendents of each school, so when the contestants arrive in Maryville they will know in advance the exact location of their rooms. The Maryville residents will also know in advance just how many and who their visitors will be. This will greatly facilitate the rooming problem. The committee have asked that persons listing rooms will not give them to anyone else except those assigned and that someone be at home the evening the guests arrive.

Preliminaries are underway in nearly all of the high schools in the northern counties of the district to select contestants for the contests here. There will be more contests and a greater variety of them this year than ever before. All advance indications point to a record breaking crowd here this year. The first contests will open at 8:30 o'clock Thursday morning April 26.

HAS NEAR ONE POUND LEGHORNS

Mrs. Francis Manley of Barnard has some early hatched Brown Leghorns that she says will weigh nearly a pound, tipping the scales just a little under that. She usually has spring chickens on the market as early as any of the chicken raisers in the country.—Barnard Bulletin.

Former Student Visits Here

Miss Jeanie Blacklock, a student at Park College in Parkville, came last night to visit her sister, Miss Fannie Blacklock, at Perrin Hall. The latter is a student at the State Teachers College and her sister also attended the College for two years. The young women will go to their home in King City for a week-end visit.

U. S. TO DISGORGE BOOTLEGER GAINS

GOVERNMENT LOST MILLIONS IN ILLEGAL BUSINESS CLAIMED.

50,000 ARE WEALTHY

That Many Bootleggers Here Liable to Payments—Hundred Million Gallons of Whisky Sold in 1922.

Washington, April 13.—The government today decided to launch a campaign to force the illicit whisky dealers of the country to disgorge millions of dollars alleged to have been eluded in taxes and obtained in liquor sales.

Internal revenue collectors, co-operating with prohibition authorities have been ordered to dig into the records of raids and seizures for evidence to compel the payment of hidden revenues. Government experts estimate that there are about 50,000 wealthy bootleggers in the United States liable to payments and penalties under the prohibition laws for defaulting.

New evidence developing out of the sensational discovery of Georgia bootleggers, who are reported to have amassed a fortune in the past few years is expected to help in uncovering other evidence.

Bank accounts and other records that show the extent of their operations have been opened to the government experts. Evidence to be gathered in a score of other states is expected, showing the extent of the Georgia ring and affiliations with other rings in the important "wet" strongholds of the country.

Some administration officials estimated today that in the "dry United States," last year, probably not less than a hundred millions gallons of illicit whisky was sold. This estimate took into account the increase the sale of corn and other moonshine liquor.

Avery Road Razer Is Demonstrated

Folk and Jackson Township Boards and Mayor Garrett Attending—Polk Board Inspects Tractors.

A demonstration of the Avery Road Razer is being held this afternoon on the road south of the Maryville Country Club to the John Yates farm. Attending the demonstration were the members of the Polk township board, Mayor V. O. Garrett, and the board of Jackson township.

The Washington township board came to Maryville yesterday for the purpose of inspecting the Aultman-Taylor tractors which Polk township is using for road work. The board of that township is thinking about buying a tractor of that kind.

The Polk township board made an inspection trip yesterday to see two or three makes of a caterpillar tractor. A caterpillar tractor used by A. L. Cook, contractor who is working on a state road project near Wilcox, was looked over yesterday. The board is intending to purchase one and will try and get a second hand one instead of buying a new one.

H. M. Miller, divisional engineer with headquarters at St. Joseph, was well pleased with the cooperation between the township board and J. E. James, who is in charge of the maintenance work on the state highways in this county. Mr. Miller said the best roads he has been over recently was in Polk township yesterday. These township roads are in better shape now than they have been for a long time and the township board is going to make an effort to keep them up to that high standard.

Ed Curfman Home

E. C. Curfman of the Curfman Bros. Lumber Company returned home last night from a ten days' visit at points in the lumber district in Louisiana. He also visited the big mills and inspected logging operations in the state.

Probate Court Appointments

Estate of Eliza M. Davis who died March 23, Walter Davis of Ravenwood was appointed administrator. Estate of Lida Miller, who died March 2, at Quitman, a brother, John W. Miller was appointed administrator.

THE WEATHER.

Unsettled tonight, rain in the east portion, cooler in the extreme south-east portion; Saturday probably fair.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

A farmer in the Orange Free State in South Africa, where gasoline sells for \$1.20 a gallon, found his farm infested with a species of cactus. He was unable to rid his place of the nuisance and the thought occurred to him that he might turn it to some good. He began experimenting and discovered that, by a process of fermentation, he could make a product from the juices of the fruit of the prickly pears. He succeeded in running his own car with it and gave samples to his neighbors and the result is said to be a product that will supply a good motor power at about forty-five cents a gallon in South Africa. Perhaps some of the numerous citizens in this country, who are experimenting with fermentations of fruits and cereals, might be able to produce something of some value to the world if they would turn their efforts in more wholesome directions.

Search Continues for Czar's Jewels

Tiara Held by Custom Officials Thought to be a Part—May be Worth \$100,000

Los Angeles, April 13.—The secret investigation that is being conducted by the United States treasury department agents, headed by William Williams, today is expected to clear up the rumor that a part of the Czar's crown jewels, stolen at the time of his assassination, have been discovered in Los Angeles, and at the same time determine if the tiara being held by the custom officials is a part of that collection.

The tiara being held was purchased in a New York antique shop at a nominal price. Collector of Customs Schaebe, in whose possession it is now, expressed the belief that it is a part of some famous foreign collection of gems.

The tiara is described as being twelve inches long and four inches wide at its widest part, and weighs nearly a half a pound. It is said to be set with 125 diamonds of the smooth, old style cut. A large diamond, the size of a ten cent piece, is set in the center and at least a dozen others not much smaller in size, dangles from the delicate gold chain. It contains an uncut emerald the size of an acorn and it is edged with pearls and rubies.

No accurate appraisal has been made of the tiara, but federal agents say that if it is genuine as a part of the czar's collection, it would be worth close to a \$100,000. If not a part of the crown jewels it would be worth not less than \$25,000.

Short Session of Court Held Today

Only a short session of circuit court was held today. The following were the proceedings:

Jessie Fern Short vs. Marvin R. Short, divorce, decree of divorce granted and care and custody of minor child, Marvin Woodrow Short.

Garrett Hardware Co. vs. Frank Barwain, appeal from J. P. court, plaintiff dismisses suit, costs paid.

Sarah E. Bradley vs. R. K. Archer, note, judgment for plaintiff for \$182.98 and \$18 on second count.

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Why should we care if the earth is round or flat so long as the people in it are square?

If the average young persons were as bad as they appear in the minds of their parents who have forgotten they were ever young, they would be pretty tough propositions. But parents do not always have the right slant.

It is one sure thing there are a lot of men in Maryville who never let their religion interfere with their business.

Did you ever see a girl wearing cotton hose who thought it was necessary to jump on a chair when a mouse appeared?



Uncle Abner, says the hardest job on earth is making loose ends meet.

Wonder if the Maryville girls will put their Russian boots in moth balls for the summer or sell them to the junk man?

We can remember those picturesque characters who used to threaten to "eat their hats" if a certain thing was not so.

It appears to us that a lot of speakers who are advertised as having a message forget to bring it along to the lecture.



Louise, the stenographer, says she doubts if a third of her so called friends will stand the test.

When you see a man whose head resembles an egg you can conclude as a general rule that he is susceptible to chicken.

A bachelor friend says many a man has shown himself a fool by trying to convince a woman.

Vagrant Musings

About the only reason a lot of people kiss babies is because the poor little things can't help themselves.

The quickest way to strike a "happy vein" is to bump your funny bone.

Even if you can't believe all you hear you usually do.

A lot of people get by without any trouble until they start talking.

A lot of men apparently think it is better to have loved and married than never to have loved at all.

Today's Vaudeville Patter
Riff—Money isn't everything.
Bang—Well it is the only thing I need right now.

A Veil of Mystery

Over Disappearance

Alva, Okla., April 12.—A veil of mystery masks the strange disappearance of Edgar Bailey, 32, of this city.

Although several clues as to his present whereabouts have been investigated, none of them have proved to be of any tangible assistance to the authorities.

Officers have taken Ira Welty, 35, into custody, and according to the officers, he has told several stories, most of which have differed in contents to a large extent.

Feeling is at a high pitch over the affair.

ESTATE TO MERCY HOSPITAL

Missouri Christian College to Share

In \$40,000 Left by City Couple

Platte City, Mo., April 12.—The estate of the late Judge and Mrs. A. D. Burnes, both of Platte City, who died a short time apart, is to go to Mercy hospital in Kansas City and Missouri Christian college at Camden Point, in compliance with the will of both.

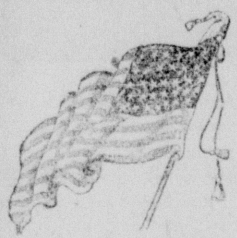
At the death of Judge Burnes an appraisal was made of his property revealing that his real estate was worth about \$18,750 and that he had money and other personal property to bring the total of his estate to more than \$28,000.

Mrs. Burnes possessed some personal property amounting to about \$10,000, so that the total that the hospital at Kansas City and the Camden Point college will receive will be close to \$49,000.

Mrs. Burnes made the same disposal of her property as Judge Burnes with the exception of several bequests to friends and relatives.

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What of America?



Shall This Government Live or Die?

If the king of Great Britain in person were encamped on Boston Common, at the head of 20,000 men, with all his navy on our coast, he would not be able to execute these laws.—James Otis.

The Stamp Act Leads to the First Step Toward Colonial Unity

A repressive policy against the colonies that began as early as the year George III ascended the throne took the form of writs of assistance, so called, by which crown officers were empowered to search the private dwellings of the colonists for smuggled goods. James Otis, a Boston lawyer employed by the crown, threw up his commission rather than appear for the English government in these cases. He took the colonists' case and in an argument before the Massachusetts court, shattered the crown's pretensions to bits.

"Then and there," said John Adams, "the trumpet of the Revolution was sounded."

The royal commissioners of the revenue soon found all the legal talent in the colonies was on the other side. Every American lawyer, it was complained, was a patriot, and every patriot thought he was a lawyer. Nor was this much of an exaggeration. General Gage, when he tried to billet troops on the Boston population a few years later, was amazed at the knowledge every citizen displayed of the legal points involved.

"I am in a country where every body seems to know the law," he angrily declared.

An English attorney general, equally baffled, said the Americans were so well versed in the crown law that they knew how to shave treason by a hair.

In his speech of conciliation Burke paid the Americans a more honest compliment on their study of the laws that governed them. "This study," he said, "renders them acute, inquisitive, dexterous, full of resources, in other countries the people, more simple, judge an ill principle in government only by an actual grievance; in America they anticipate the evil, and judge of the pressure of the grievance by the badness of the principle. They augur misgovernment at a distance, and snuff the approach of tyranny in every tainted breeze."

But the first broad view we get of the differences that were to widen into conflict between the colonies and the mother country, is presented by the action of the congress that assembled in New York in 1765 to remonstrate against the new theory on which the English government was proceeding.

The specific thing that brought this congress together was the Stamp Act by which parliament had required the Americans to purchase stamped paper for use in business transactions. It was a direct, new and obnoxious tax, obnoxious to the attempt to collect it had aroused violent opposition. The collectors were mobbed wherever they appeared, forced to flee, arrested and made to resign their offices. Consignments of the stamped paper were seized in many towns and burned amid the wildest popular demonstrations.

Parliament had passed this law, says the English historian, Green, with less opposition than would have been brought out by a turnpike bill. It was a characteristic act of a gov-

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gross was presided over by Timothy Ruggles of Massachusetts and John Rutledge of South Carolina led the debate on the floor. North and South were one when the liberties of both were threatened.

One statesman in England at least saw what this action meant. Pitt was not in parliament when the stamp act was passed, but he returned to the house in the following session when the news of American resistance had brought the ministry to the necessity of considering the repeal of the act. "America is almost in open rebellion," he warned the house. "sir, I rejoice that America has resisted. Three millions of people so dead to all the feelings of liberty as voluntarily to submit to be slaves would have been fit instruments to make slaves of the rest."

It was these words of Pitt that caused George III to call him a trumpet of sedition.

(To be continued in The Democrat-Forum tomorrow.)

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Princeton Man and Sons Die in Fire

Princeton, Mo., April 12.—Dr. Max Koch, a chiropractor, and two sons, Edward, 7, and Robert, 11, were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the Koch building here early today. The victims were asleep in Dr. Koch's office on the second floor. A third son, Abbie, was rescued by firemen unhurt. The charred bodies of the victims were removed from the ruins.

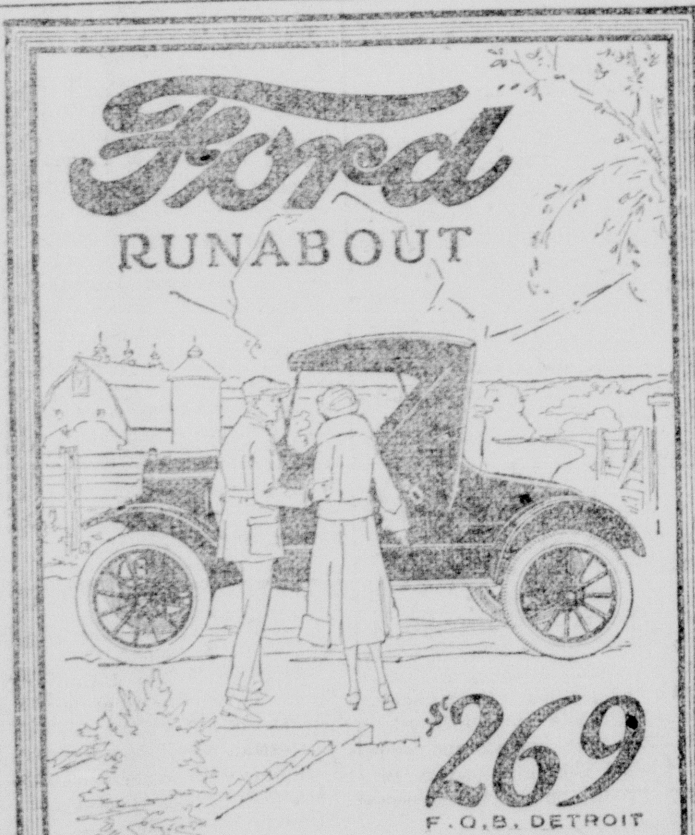
The fire destroyed the two story buildings which included McKee's hardware store, Casteel Brothers Department store, and the A. Mullinax dry goods store.

The stock of goods of all the stores were badly damaged. The fire started by an explosion of a gas stove in Dr. Koch's office.

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Church Deed Made Many Years Ago

W. D. Beaver of Elmo found the deed to the ground on which Bethel Baptist Church of near Elmo stands among the papers of his father, the late Moses F. Beaver.

The deed was made by H. M. Severs to Richard Adkins, Jos. Huston, Daniel Severs and Moses F. Beaver as trustees.

The deed was made and acknowledged by Joseph Jackson, county clerk. It was recorded by Henry Graves, circuit

clerk, and ex-officio recorder, by Wm. B. Roseberry, deputy recorder. The price was \$75, and the land reverts to Severs or his heirs when not used for church purposes.

The strange thing about it is that all persons who were connected with the deed are dead.—Elmo Register.

Price & Horn at Elmo.

Price & Horn, Undertakers, is the new sign on the Citizens Bank building in Elmo, opposite the Register office. J. P. Price of Maryville and C. D. Horn of Elmo comprise the firm.—Elmo Register.

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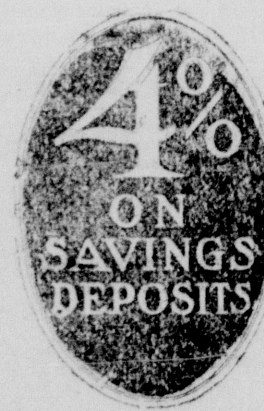
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F. C. Miller to St. Louis
F. C. Miller, manager of the J. C. Penney Company store here, left Wednesday for St. Louis, where he will attend the semi-annual meeting of the store managers in this district and also buy merchandise for fall business. The J. C. Penney Company now has 371 stores operating.

Attend Choir Concert
Mrs. F. P. Reuillard and daughter, Mrs. Don Martin, attended the concert which the St. Olaf Lutheran Choir gave last night at the Auditorium in St. Joseph.



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The stallion and jack will make the season 1923 at the farm 10½ miles northeast of Maryville.

TERMS FOR BOTH: \$12.50 to insure colt to stand and suck. Money due when colt stands. Colt held for service fees. Money due when party moves out of the neighborhood or parts with mare without my consent. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

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PICKERING

O. G. NULL

Otis Faulconer and family have moved into the Morris property lately vacated by A. W. Smith.

John Morris returned last Saturday from Poplar Bluff, Mo., where he was called the first of the week by the death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens moved this week from Pickering to a farm they have rented eight miles east of Hopkins. Their property here is now occupied by Asa Wagner and family. Miss Belle Leach returned Thursday from Auburn, New York, where she has been staying with relatives for over a year and will occupy her property in the west part of town.

A. W. Daves, a former Pickering resident, but now living near Shilo, South Dakota, visited old acquaintances here Wednesday. He drove over from Sheridan where he was called several days ago by the illness of his mother, who is suffering from a paralytic stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Null drove to St. Joseph last Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mrs. Null's sister, Mrs. A. It McGlothlin. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Gladys of Ossawatimie, Kansas, who is spending the week visiting relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Knouse announce the birth of a daughter on Wednesday whom they have named Winifred Ruth.

The new town board composed of J. C. Carmichael, C. B. Reed, J. W. Mobley, W. C. Smith and W. R. McKee met last Friday evening and organized by electing W. R. McKee president and secretary.

The board of education of the Pickering Independent district met last Friday evening and after the new directors, L. L. Hood and C. B. Reed were sworn in, organized by electing W. C. Smith, president and E. O. Gray, vice-president.

School Notes.

The grammar department of the Pickering school district exhibited a number of articles in the school fair at Maryville last Saturday and received five first prizes and three second prizes. The winners of the first prizes were: Composition, Olive Boyd; Good English, Poster, Galen McGinness; Apron, Hazel Scott; Penmanship, Donald Johnson; Physiology Paper, Olive Boyd. The winners of second prizes were: Good English Poster, Olive Boyd; Business Letter, Marie McGinness; Tea Towel, Donald Johnson. They will exhibit the work at the Hopkins school fair on Friday, April 13.

Miss Helen Spangler spent the week end at her home in Maryville last week. The girls of the junior and senior classes assisted by Mrs. Moore surprised Miss Kemper with a picnic dinner Thursday in honor of her birthday. Those participating were Pauline Swinford; Crystal Copeland, Muriel Scott, Helen Strong, Mildred Bainum, Lois King, Ruth Clayton, Miriam Geyer, Wanda Hinton, Hazel Harrington, Mildred Smith, Ethel Stanton and Mrs. Moore.

Miss Bess Kemper spent last Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. R. B. Gex, Jr., at her home south of Maryville.

Miss Helen Strong spent Thursday afternoon in Maryville. Misses Mildred Bainum, Doss Kemper and Mrs. Ruby Moore spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Houston.

George Ellis Bainum spent the week end with Mrs. Ruby Moore at her home in Maryville last week.

Miss Kemper and Mrs. Ruby Moore spent Wednesday evening with friends in Hopkins and attended a radio concert.

Mrs. Walter Johnson and son, Donald, Mrs. John Hollenshe and children, Lola Johnnie and Marguerite Swinford attended the school fair at Maryville last week.

Christian Church.

It was very gratifying to see that we kept the number above the hundred mark again last Saturday. We thought that when the roads got good and that the sickness took a notion to quit our midst you people would begin coming back to Sunday School. Come again next Sunday. It would be a shame to let the mark get below 100 during the summer months. We shall look for you again next Sunday and if you were not there last Sunday so that we can say "again" we shall be glad to have you come anyway.

The contest between the boys and girls waxed warm again last Sunday. They needed a tie that day with 1,050 miles each. Although the boys lost the race by about 700 miles, they have challenged the girls to a race on the way back. Will you take them on for the return race, girls? Sure you will, and show them another fast pace. It was fine to see 19 boys in the class last Sunday. See if we can increase that number to 20. It can be done.

John Bosch, adult leader, and Thelma Mann, Naomi Emery and Laurice Grey as delegates, went to Skidmore last Monday to represent our Sunday School at the Conference of the Older Boys and Girls of Nodaway. The pastor went down Tuesday morning for the

sessions that day and evening. All came back with lots of pep and we will probably have their reports at church next Sunday morning.

Remember, folks, our state convention convenes at the First Church in Kansas City next week, April 17, and we have not selected our delegates for it. Come prepared to select them Sunday. Of course, if you don't want the church represented there a good way to accomplish that is to turn down all propositions to have the church represented. But, certainly, we won't want to do that. Let's send at least two to Kansas City.

Last week the pastor announced his sermon titles for the next few weeks. Here is the list as it stands now. Sunday, April 15, morning: "The Church—What It Has Done;" night, "Have You Raked Your Own Back Yard?" April 22, morning, "The Church—What It Can Do;" night, "Can a Preacher Tell the Truth?" April 29, morning, "The Church—What It Doesn't Do;" night, "The Spring Rains." May 6, morning, "The Church—What Must It Do to Be Saved?" Night, "Do You Use Your Seed Catalogue?"

Remember, Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock. Preaching services at 11 and 8 o'clock.

Methodist Church

The pastor was greeted by a good congregation at Myrtle Tree Sunday morning. They are having a fine Sunday School.

Miss Mary Scott represented our Sunday school at the Skidmore Young People's conference Monday and Tuesday.

The Wesleyans will meet at the church next Thursday, April 19. Their Easter sale and luncheon netted them about \$65.00 for parsonage improvement.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Edgar Houston, who has been ill all winter has so far recovered as to be able to get away from home. We also rejoice in the gradual recovery of Mrs. Dale Wiley from a serious illness.

Preaching at Pickering Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

OBITUARY.

Edna Beryl Andrews.

Have you seen the sun go down before the appointed hour of sunset? The clouds of the storm have overspread the sky and the sun was hidden from view. No matter how anxiously you sought, its lovely rays could not be found.

So in the home of Brother Ralph Farrens, the sun went down while it was yet day, when his beloved wife went home to be with her God. Last Sunday evening when she heard the call of a loving voice that was heard far above the discordant note of pain, and hearing she answered and loosed her barque of life on eternity's sea, sailing for the land where discords are never known.

This sun did go down while it was yet day. It was only twenty-six years ago when the sun rose with joyous brightness in the home of Brother and Sister Andrews, Edna had come to live at their home. It was a happy even in that home life. There passed the happy hours of youth and school days of adventure, as she traveled from realm to realm of knowledge. Then standing behind the teacher's desk she dispensed knowledge to those who came for instruction.

Then the 22nd day of January, 1919, came into her life and with it the husband of her choice, when she was married to Mr. Ralph Farrens. God gave to them a lovely baby daughter, Geneva Marie. How happy was that family circle.

Mrs. Farrens was converted to the Lord Jesus Christ when she was eleven years of age, uniting with the Methodist Episcopal Church. She has lived a Christian life since that time. In a conversation with her mother she said recently, "I know that everything is

all right between God and me."

A little over three weeks ago she was taken sick, and for a time was in the hospital, then was brought to her home where she died. She leaves to mourn her demise her husband, daughter, her father and mother, two brothers, Everett Lowell Andrews of San Diego, Cal., and George Dennis Andrews, and many friends who sympathize with the family at this time.

While 'tis true that her sun went down while yet 'tis day, it is also true that it shall rise again where suns never set. In the land of love where God abides forever.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

ADAMS EMPLOYED AT BARNARD AT \$1800 PER YEAR

A. S. Blagg Is Retained As Principal at \$125 Per Month—Mrs. Daniels and Miss Velma Adams Employed.

At a meeting of the Barnard school board held early this week, Ed Adams superintendent was re-employed at the same salary he received last year, \$1800 for the year. This will make the third term that Supt. Adams will have been in the Barnard schools.

A. S. Blagg was re-employed as principal of the high school at a salary of \$125 per month, this being the same that he received last year. Mrs. Verdie Daniels was re-employed at the last year salary of \$90 per

month for the intermediate room. Miss Velma Adams was also retained at her old salary of \$85 in the primary room.

The vacancies in the school now are those of grammar room, and assistant in the high school, the present teachers in those positions not being applicants for the position.—Barnard Bulletin.

To Make Probe Into Shipment of Live Stock

Topeka, Kan., April 12—The state utilities commission is planning to make a thorough probe into the shipment of livestock by railroads, in the near future, it was learned here

today. The purpose of the investigation, according to members of the commission, will be to ascertain if there is a marked delay in the handling of livestock, as some of the shippers have charged in their complaints.

Every railroad which traverses the sunflower state, will be asked by the commission to make a detailed report of each livestock shipment originating in Kansas for the month of May, whose destination is other points in the state, or Kansas City and St. Joseph, Mo., markets.

Full consideration of these reports as well as the complaints, will be made by the commission at a hearing which will be held here early in June, it was said.

Wanted Rooms! Rooms! Rooms! More Rooms!

600 to 800 beds will be needed to take care of the contestants during the "TRACK MEET" April 26, 27 and 28.

In order to have enough beds to take care of all of the contestants it will be necessary for Maryville people to open up their homes more generally than ever before.

Please phone in your list to the Chamber of Commerce, Hanamo 639, Farmers 120, if possible before next Wednesday, because we will turn this list over to the committee on assignments at the College, who will assign the rooms to the different schools, send the assignments to the Superintendent and notify you who has been assigned to your home.

It will save much confusion if you will arrange to have someone at home when trains arrive in Maryville.

Do not take people other than those for whom you have listed rooms for the College unless you have more beds for rent than those engaged for the contestants.

Price of rooms to be 50c per night for each occupant.

APRIL IS TREE PLANTING MONTH

PLANT EARLY: Apple, Cherry, Peach, Plum, Pear and other Fruit Trees; Shade Trees, Evergreens, Shrubs, Vines, Hedging, Grape Vines, Gooseberries, Currants, Blackberries, Raspberries, Dewberries, Strawberries, Rhubarb, Asparagus, etc.

Get Them Fresh from the Nursery

We are taking stock up now. Call early and get yours. Orders delivered free in the city. Let us send you our Price List. New packing grounds adjoining nursery—just west of Tourists' Park.

Murray Nurseries, Maryville, Mo.

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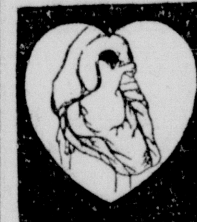
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Some things you should know about your heart



THE first thing a physician examines, when summoned, is the heart pulse. A normal heart will beat one hundred and three thousand times each day. You depend on it to beat every second of your life. You realize the heart should not have to overwork constantly to throw off blood impurities. It is impurities which increase the heart beat. More red-cells mean cleaner, purer, richer blood. They mean nerve-power, because all your nerves are fed by your blood. This means freedom from pimples, from blackheads, from boils, eczema and skin eruptions; from rheumatic impurities, from that tired, exhausted, run-down feeling. Red-cells are the most important thing in the world to each of us. S. S. S. will build them for you! S. S. S. has been known since 1896 as one of the greatest blood-purifiers, blood-cleaners and system-strengtheners ever produced.

Mr. Arthur A. Smith, 5099 S. Ada St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "After suffering with bad boils, I commenced using S. S. S. I wish to say that it came up to all expectations, and relieved me of boils. I wish to express my appreciation for what S. S. S. did for me."

Try it yourself. S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores. The large size is more economical. Get a bottle today!

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For many years Ice Cream has been thought of as a dainty treat for special occasions, and never considered as a vital food.

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Ice Cream can be served in a wide variety of pleasing ways. A neat little booklet, "New Ways of Serving Fairmont's Delicia Ice Cream," is yours for the asking.

We will be glad to have your orders for Ice Cream, which will give us another opportunity of serving you well. FAIRMONT'S DELICIA ICE CREAM IS GUARANTEED TO test 1% per cent Butterfat.



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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

BATH TUBS—\$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 506. Kane Building. A3tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

FOR SALE—Parts for all kinds of implements. Largest stock in northwest Missouri. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J 29tf

FOR SALE—5 male spotted Poland-Chinas, purebred; year old next August. Tom Lyons, Farmers 38-13. 13-16*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Improved 1,620-acre ranch in Hooker county, Neb., half valley, three wired fence, hedge posts, seven fields. J. T. Hays, 405 W. 12th, Maryville. M10tf

FOR SALE—Reduced prices on repairs for all kinds of implements. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J29tf

FOR SALE—Feather bed and sewing machine 1909 E. Second Hanamo, 6568. 13-16

Alfalfa, Sudan and Cane Seed, Holt Supply Co. A7tf

Used Car Bargains—
1-1921 Sedan, extra good.
1-1918 Sedan, repainted.
1-1920 Coupe, extra good.
1-1918 Coupe, fair.
2-1920 Touring, good condition.
1-1919 Touring, winter top.
1-1917 Touring.
1-1920 Runabout, starter.
1-1920 Truck.
Barmann Auto Co., authorized Ford agents.

FOR SALE—Bunch of pigs, 14th and Dewey. 13-16

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, will consider good horse in trade. L. E. Lyle, Hanamo 3 L. 11-13

FOR SALE—Seed potatoes and home made kraut, 422 S. Vine. 12-14*

Bargain price on timothy and sweet clover seed while present stock lasts. Ray's, Cor. 3rd and Market. 13-16

FOR SALE—Fine white sow and 8 fine pigs, 417 E. 1st. 12-14

Frost proof cabbage plants, seeds, and blooming plants. Strader & Clapper, 217 North Main. Phone 288. 11-13

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, 65c a 100. J. A. Clark, 514 Prather, Farmers 41-15. 9-11

For mites I'll use Carbolinum. It lasts a year. Holt Supply Co. M3tf

STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Senator Dunlap and Warfield, extra nice, plants ready any time. Harve England, Hanamo 3268. A9tf

FOR RENT—80 acre farm, call E. C. Culp, Farmers 182. 11-13*

FOR SALE—A snap, 6-room house, 2 lots, \$3,500; 13 lots on Normal avenue, good terms. See J. T. Hays.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—phone me if you have horses or mules for sale and I will call and invoice them, and I have good farm mares and mules for sale or exchange for geldings. I guarantee all representations. Jim Andy Ford. P5tf

LISTEN MEN, YOU who are not satisfied with the small weekly wage you receive, see Young at 315 South Main. A proposition with an unlimited salary. 11-13

FOUND—State license No. 85-539 and tail light. Owner call this office. 11-13

WANTED—Carpets and rugs to weave. Will work ingrain carpets into rugs. Reasonable prices. Mrs. Watson Richey, 1/2 mile north Wilcox, Mo. 11-13

Earn \$20 weekly, spare time, at home, addressing, mailing, music, circulars. Send 10c for music, information. American Music Co. 1653 Broadway, Dept. 18-F, N. Y. 16-28*

Hemstitching & picot work. Mrs. J. C. Clapper, Maryville, Mo., P. O. box No. 16. 11-13

WANTED TO BUY—second hand motorcycle, prefer Indian cycle. Call at this office. 9-20

Trucking of all kinds. Logan and Cox, Farmers 237-16 and 130, Hanamo 178. 11-18*

LOST—Gray and brown checked overcoat, probably in east part of town. Return to Farmers Trust. 11-13*

The Maryville Seed and Storage House with its full line of field and garden seeds is now ready to meet any legitimate competition. First floor north of post office. Smith & Branigan. 17-1M

FOR RENT—Furnished front room in modern cottage, available May 1. Hanamo 3256 or 5509. 12-18

WANTED—Plain sewing, fancy work or house work; go home nights. Call Democrat-Forum. 12-14*

TYPISTS—Earn \$25-\$100 weekly, spare time, copying authors' manuscripts. Write R. J. Carnes, Authors' Agent, Tallapoosa, Ga. for particulars. 12-14*

FOR RENT—Modern 10 room house garage and large garden. See or call Oren N. Lanning. M.11f

WANTED—An experienced gardener to put in small garden for himself in exchange for care of lawn. Call Hanamo 4097.

CURTAINS and all kinds of fine fabrics to laundry and also family washings. Now located on East First street, Hanamo 545. Mrs. Anna Belcher. 9-21

WANTED—Two neat appearing men for special advertising sales proposition. Good pay and permanent work for men who can qualify. No investment or experience necessary. Address "D" this office. 10-14*

Tailoring Agents—Make \$100 weekly selling Simpson made to order summer suits \$17.50 and \$19.50 also our famous all wool suits \$29.50. Commissions daily. Beautiful assortment 6x9 swatches free. No experience needed. Can use spare time men if hustlers. J. B. Simpson, Dept. 580, 813 Adams, Chicago, Ill. 13*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 6,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 28,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000.

St. Louis, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 1,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 150.

Kansas City, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 1,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 8,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

St. Joseph, April 13—**CATTLE**—Receipts, 1,200.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,300; top \$8.15.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.
All steady.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per dozen 20c
Butterfat, per lb. 43c
Springs, per lb. 35c
Hens, per lb. 17c
Roosters, per lb. 6c
Ducks, per lb. 11c
Geese per lb. 8c
Hides per lb. 7c

Poultry

Vigorous pure bred S. C. Reds, good dark red color Hogs tested. Eggs utility \$4.00 per hundred. Month of April pen No. 1, \$1.50 per setting. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Ed Shreve, Pickering.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Single Comb Red hatching eggs. Murry strain, dark red utility flocks, \$4 per hundred. Special mating, \$8 per hundred. Mrs. E. F. Hammond, Farmers phone 46-17. 10-16

EGGS—For hatching, pure bred White Rocks, \$3.50 per 100. Mrs. Henry Cook, both phones. 13-27

Buff Orpington eggs for hatching, \$3.75 per 100; 75c per setting. Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Farmers 30-11. 12-15*

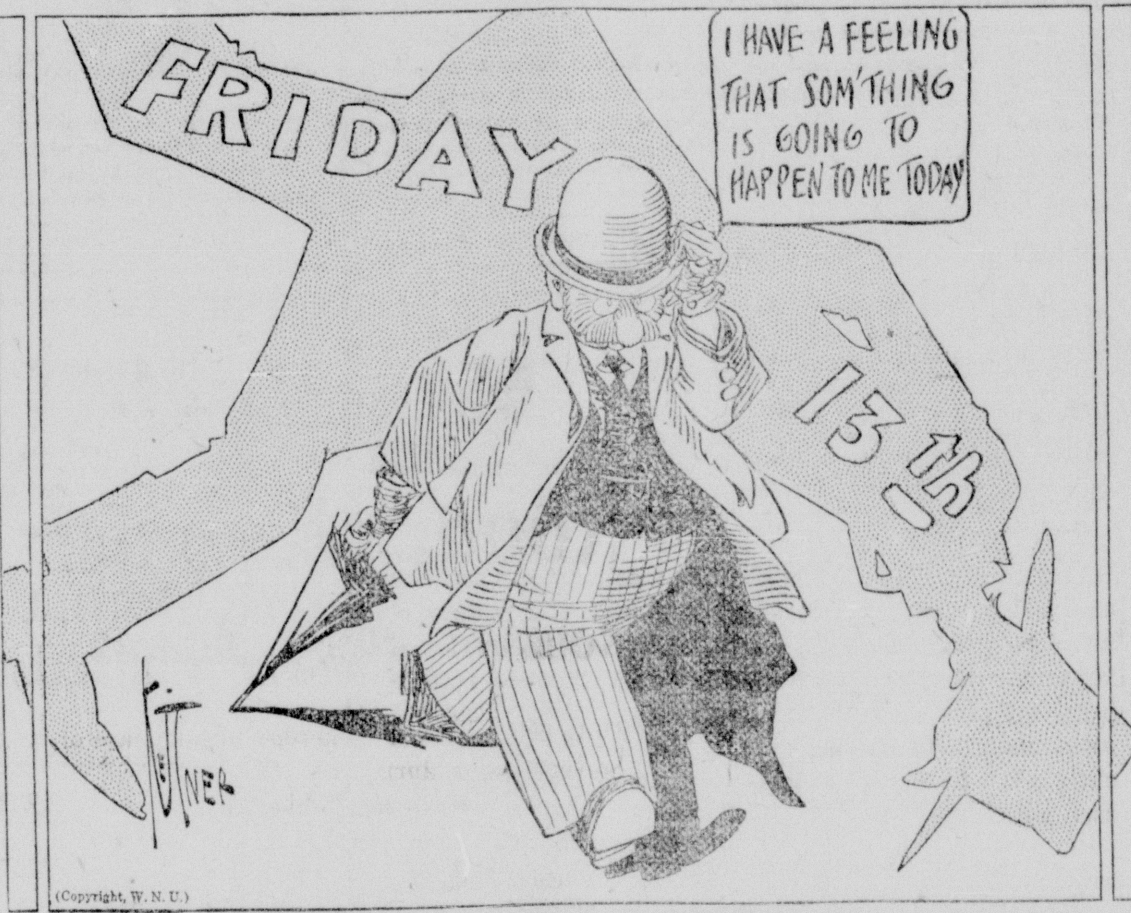
FOR SALE—S. C. Buff Orpington eggs for hatching, first pen, \$3; 2nd pen \$2.50 per 100. Ralph Masters, Hanamo 4721. 13-16

S. C. Brown Leghorn eggs for hatching, \$3.00 per 100. Mrs. Florence DeBord, Farmers 23-17. 10-24*

Eggs for hatching, pure bred Buff Leghorns, kind that lay, \$3.50 per 100. Mrs. J. L. Tehow, Farmers 8-20, Maryville. 9-14*

R. I. RED—Hatching eggs, \$2.50 per hundred. Mrs. G. W. Cain, Pickering. 17-1A 17

Being Shadowed



HARMONY.

The board of education held a called meeting Thursday for the purpose of organizing for the coming year. G. H. Nall was elected president and L. King vice-president. The board now consists of the above named and in addition B. S. Cox, secretary; J. N. Alexander, treasurer; J. E. Porter, M. A. Brown, and Victor Wray. The report of the treasurer showed the finances to be in a very favorable condition.

An optimist is one who fails to see the hair in the butter, while a pessimist is one who sees it when it isn't there.

Mrs. B. S. Cox and Mrs. G. H. Nall were callers at the home of little Miss Freddie Josephine Alexander last Thursday evening.

Quite a large acreage of oats was sown in this neighborhood last week and the farmers report the ground working fine.

Robert Adams, wife and little son, Zorinus and B. K. Lewis and family were visiting friends in the vicinity of Skidmore Sunday.

Just imagine Mark Twain or Senator Robert LaFollette with patent leather hair.

Our debating team traveled to Chula last Friday to meet the team of that place in the semi-finals in the debates in the Fifth District League. We lost to Chula, but our team made a very creditable showing. This is the second year that our school has been in the district debates and to get into the semi-finals was quite an achievement. Miss Dorris McKee accompanied the new members of the team, Miss Vera Brown and Fay Woodson Nall and coach, W. L. Lewis. The entire party returned home Saturday morning. Talk of southern hospitality—those folks at

Men, women, salary \$75 full time, \$1.50 an hour spare time; selling the genuine guaranteed hosiery direct to wearer, beautiful line. International MRLs, Norristown, Pa. 13*

Taken by mistake note book at school fair at courthouse. Return to Democrat-Forum. 13-16*

FOR RENT—4 room house, 123 N. Davis. Isaac Bliss, Hanamo 5267. 13-16*

Chula have the South backed clear off the map. They also treated us fine, and our only regret was that we could not repay their kindness by winning the decision.

Henry Ford certainly won't get very far as a presidential candidate till he makes his ears with doors that will open and shut without a wobble.

Roy Wells received quite a serious injury Wednesday of last week when he was kicked on the knee by a refractory mule. He is reported as getting along all right.

E. E. Saunders and family were visiting the former's parents near Pickering. E. E. has a handsome new baby in the family just lately. It's a "Baby Overland."

A good congregation attended the morning service last Sunday. The theme of the discourse was "Prayer" and the pastor showed very clearly the importance of prayer in the Christian's life. It is planned to carry out the "Every Member Campaign," and "go to church" visitation next Sunday and the evening service will be a report of

Opportunities In Real Estate

For Sale---Special

7 room house, modern except heat. 2 good lots, barn and chicken house, northwest Maryville. Must sell at once to settle estate. Price reduced to \$3750.

See OTIS & HERNDON.

The Honeysuckle about one's OWN HOME smells sweeter than those about a rented place.

FOR SALE—60 acres known as the "Elm Grove" Stock Farm, located 1/2 mile north of the State Teachers College. Improvements are thoroughly modern, having city water and electric lights. House has ten large rooms. Two barns. Plenty of out-buildings for stock. All smooth land. Will sell at an attractive price. For particulars see—

ALLEN BROS., "The Land Men."

HOME—What does it mean to a man to behold all the castles in the world, but has not a cottage of his own?

FOR SALE—20 acre tract, improvements, adjoining the city limits. Also some good modern residences close in.

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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

In keeping with the tendencies with the time we have reduced our prices possible without interfering with or cheapening the quality of workmanship or service. We are in better position to give you better results today than ever before and sincerely hope that you will give us an opportunity to prove our contentions.

Yours very truly,

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the work done during the afternoon—talks touching different phases of the church activity for the coming year, interspersed with songs of a special character. It is hoped all members will be present both morning and evening.

M. A. Brown, who has been having quite a tussle with the flu, is out among his friends again.

Mr. Gilbany, high school inspector, made a brief call at the high school building Friday morning. He was accompanied by Supt. L. G. Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Floren Porter and son, Orlo Preston, were Sunday visitors at the home of L. E. Moore.

Rev. Underwood and family spent Sunday afternoon at the home of C. A. Hunt.

J. E. Porter and family spent Sunday at the home of Everett Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kelley and family were visiting Sunday at the home of Sam Craven.

The pupils and teacher of Common Sense observed Arbor Day by setting out some trees and shrubs in the school yard. Some very nice flower beds were also constructed.

Miss Helen Claycomb, Viola Krugh, Mrs. Olin Krugh, Mrs. Dale Simmons and two sons, Fay and Orlo Laven attended the track meet at Ravenwood Saturday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Spurgeon, Eldora McMahon and Jennie McMahon were visitors at the home of Mrs. Lucy Blackman last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Nall and daughter, Clea, went to Maryville Sunday afternoon.

John Anderson had the misfortune to lose a cow by founder last Saturday.

J. L. Partridge of Maryville is at the home of Arin Craven this week.

James Woodhara is preparing to build a new home to replace the one recently lost by fire.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ingram is quite ill with pneumonia.

Rev. Underwood and Harry Martin were trading in Maryville last Monday.

Ethel, Mo., Bank Ordered Closed

Ethel, Mo., April 13.—The Bank of Ethel is closed today while bank examiners are going over its accounts. One of the bank officials is missing, it is stated, but his identity has not been disclosed. The bank was ordered closed last night by order of the state finance commission. It had been considered one of the strongest banks in Macon county.

Patrolman's Slayer Electrocuted Today

Columbus, O., April 13.—Alternately laughing and crying, Stanley Forber, 26, convicted of the slaying of Granison Koehler, Columbus patrolman on November 28, came to his death in the electric chair at the Ohio state penitentiary here early today.

Forber concealed his identity until a short time before his death. He was arrested as Stanley Forbes, alias "Slim" Brady and James Martin.

Two currents were used on the chair. At 12:10 a. m. he was pronounced dead. Forber and three other gunmen battled the Columbus police. Koehler being killed and another patrolman injured.

Former Resident Here

Ed Tehow of Fort Collins, Colo., a former resident of Maryville, came yesterday noon to spend a few days on business and to visit his brothers, Charles C. Tehow and J. L. Tehow.

Thad Wilderman of Denver, Colo., is spending a few days here on business.

Card of Thanks

We can't find words to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us by our friends and neighbors during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and daughter; also for the many beautiful flowers.

Ralph D. Farrens, E. J. Andrews and Family.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

"COLD IN THE HEAD"

Is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Those subject to frequent "colds" are generally in a "run down" condition. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a treatment consisting of an Ointment to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts quickly through the blood on the mucous surfaces, building up the system, and making you less liable to "colds." Sold by druggists for over 40 years. E. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

SEEDS

ALFALFA—Grown in Nebraska and N. E. Kansas, best suited for this section.

SWEET CLOVER—White, yellow, scarified, are dependable seeds.

RED CLOVER—Best grade, no buck horn.

SOY BEANS—The "Wilson," best hay and all purpose bean, my own growing, are a fine lot.

OTHER FIELD SEEDS. Incubator for all birds and sweet clover free. 1st tier north East Estate Bank.

ELMER FRASER.

Californian Is Here With View of Staying

Demand For Rentable Houses In Maryville Exceeds Supply Says Realtors—Prices Are Upward

J. J. McNeff of Long Beach, California, was in Maryville today looking the town over and inspecting Nodaway County land with a view to locating in Maryville. Mr. McNeff had never been in Maryville before, having lived in Minnesota before going to California. So far he had been very favorably impressed with Maryville.

One real estate man said today that there was a continual demand for houses to rent, a demand much greater than the town is able to supply. The demand is mostly from out-of-town persons, who wish to come here and rent a while before deciding whether or not to locate. All want modern houses and say they will locate here if favorably impressed with Maryville. The schools are responsible to a large extent for bringing families here.

Real Estate prices have reached "rock bottom" and show a trend upwards now, said another real estate man. Rents are higher than last year and land and real estate is selling higher than last year. He added that prices even yet were below normal or the real value of the property.

Masters House Sold

Mrs. Ed Masters has sold her residence property at 515 North Fillmore street to J. S. Caldwell of the Maryville Auto Wrecking Company, who gets possession May 1. Mr. and Mrs. Masters and family will move to their house at 510 North Fillmore street which is being remodelled.

Graham Presbyterian Church

Rev. Bostwick will preach at the Presbyterian Church in Graham at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, April 15.

TUBERCULOSIS—Yields quickly to my treatment. Instant relief in many seemingly hopeless cases. First and last thought in the successful treatment for tuberculosis and weak lungs. Treatments that have stood the acid test for years. Early treatment has its advantages. Dr. W. H. Crowder, 1121 Grand, Kansas City, Mo.

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Maryville, Mo.

Kansas City Times Gives C. of C. Write-up

Editorial Headed "A Maryville Idea in Action"—Committed to Policy of Personal Service.

The following is from today's Kansas City Times:

What the Chamber of Commerce of Maryville, Mo., is doing to develop the trade territory of this Northwest Missouri town of five thousand population is furthering the small town's fight to halt the trend of business and population toward the larger cities. With a live business organization, committed to a policy of personal service, other small towns may as effectively hold and eventually expand their trade area.

About three years ago the Maryville Chamber of Commerce began an advertising campaign in the two local papers "to sell Nodaway County to Nodaway County." The people in that county and surrounding territory were told of the developed agricultural resources of Nodaway County, Maryville's school and church advantages. The campaign was of such merit that the business men on Broadway, New York City, later adopted the "Maryville idea" for an extensive advertising campaign.

During the last year, Maryville's business men have attended about 150 community meetings in all parts of Nodaway County. In the way of personal service, the organization frequently has been called on to settle disputes on questions of current interest. It even has aided in locating the lost wife of a traveling man, visiting in the town.

During the period between 1910 and 1920 more than eighty rural Missouri counties lost in population. There is one county in Central Missouri which has not as many people as it had fifty years ago. The leaders in the rural sections—particularly the small town business men—must awake to the situation before then. A little more of the Maryville spirit, which is showing the world what it has done, rather than boasting of its undeveloped advantages, would do much to advance the "Greater Missouri" program.

B 8th Ball Team Wins From A 8th, 14 to 8

The baseball season in Maryville has opened under the younger baseball enthusiasts here. Yesterday afternoon the team of the B 8th grade defeated the A 8th team by a score of 14 to 8. This is the third time this season that these two teams have met, the B 8th having won two of them. The line-ups yesterday were:

B8th: Breedlove, c; Dietz, p; Pugh, ss; Alexander, 1st; Fisher, 2nd; Woodburn, 3rd; Kenney, lf; Robertson, cf; and Dow, rf.

A 8th: Ray, c; Kissinger, p; Catterson, ss; Gibson, 1st; Somerville, 2nd; Petty, 3rd; Kever, rf; Pennington, cf; and Litch, lf.

Tarpley Items

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Reed and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinness.

Edna Frances Montgomery was a Monday afternoon caller at the home of Jennings Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cooper and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Culver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Donahue and family were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. W. H. Donahue of Maryville.

Quite a few of the boys have been absent from school this week, helping with the farm work. The fine weather has made farm work progress rapidly in this district.

Hazel McGinness called on Vernie Reed Sunday afternoon.

Neva Smith spent Sunday with Edna Frances Montgomery.

Throat Slashed, He Accuses Wife

Mrs. J. M. Dryden Held When Her Husband Makes Charges.

Rock Port, Mo., April 13.—Mrs. J. M. Dryden is out on \$5,000 bond, charged with assault with intent to kill, and her husband, J. M. Dryden, retired Atchison county farmer, is suffering from a razor gash in his throat which nearly cost his life. Mrs. Dryden was arrested Wednesday night and lodged in the county jail, but L. A. Lawson of Weston, Mo., furnished \$5,000 bond today.

Rushing through the front door of a neighbor's house about 7 o'clock Wednesday night, with blood streaming from a wound in his throat, Mr. Dryden cried out:

"My wife has cut my throat!" Mrs. Dryden came through the back door just a second afterward, and denied the accusation, declaring that Dryden cut his own throat. Dr. O. C. M. Chamberlain was summoned hastily and he took six stitches in the aged man's throat. It is believed that he will recover.

When news of the affair went around the town, it was recalled that just about a year ago Mr. Dryden's mother, about 90 years old, had been found dead in her son's home, her throat having been slashed from ear to ear with a razor. It was thought at that time that Mrs. Dryden had taken her own life. She was a highly respected woman and the community was shocked to hear the news of her death.

It is known that Mrs. Dryden has been questioned at the county jail concerning the affair, but refuses to say anything, except that her husband cut himself. They are an elderly couple, between 60 and 70 years of age, and have lived in Rock Port for several years, having retired after selling their farm.

Mr. Dryden is quoted as having said that he was asleep in a chair, and that his wife came up behind him, slashing him with the razor. He asserted that there was another razor in the house and a search was made for it.

Whatever the cause of the affair, Dryden came near to death, as Doctor Chamberlain said that just a slightly deeper cut would have ended his life.

The wounded man is known here as a quiet man, who had the quality of attending to his own business. So far as is known, he never had any such trouble before, while the reputation of his wife has been spotless.

Burlington Junction to Have Election

\$70,000 Bond Issue of Bonds to Be Voted On May 8 For Water Plant and Sewerage

The following is from this week's Burlington Junction Post:

Citizens of Burlington Junction will vote on May 8th on the proposed issue of \$70,000.00 in bonds for the construction of a modern water and sewerage disposal system for the city. The date for the election was set by ordinance at a meeting of the city council held Tuesday night.

The contemplated improvement will include a complete water system. The supply will be from wells, an inexhaustible supply of pure water being available at shallow depth here. The reserve store will be cared for by a 50,000 gallon tank, and fire hydrants will be installed at intervals all over town sufficient to give every residence property fire protection by the use of a few section hoses.

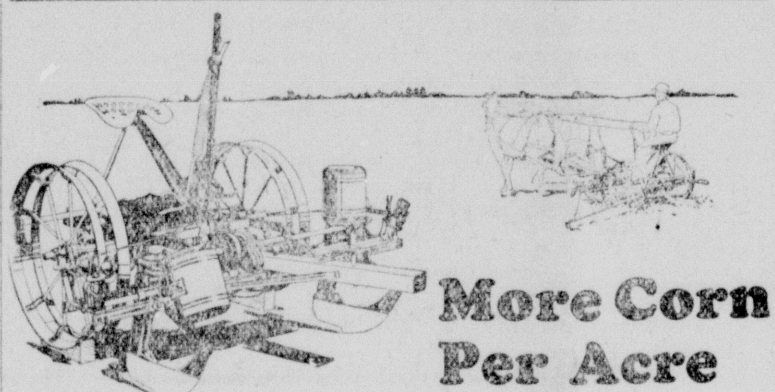
The sewer system will include two main sewer lines, joining near the Burlington railway tracks, and leading to the river. It will also include

lateral sewers serving all of the residence districts, thus giving the citizens a complete system with no chance for further expense in the future.

Wabash Hotel For Sale
The Wabash hotel at Burlington Junction which is owned by the Wabash railway company is for sale, according to the Burlington Junction Post.

Broadbent Re-elected
Prof. J. M. Broadbent has been re-elected superintendent of the Parnell public schools for the coming year at an increase of \$200 in salary, making \$2,000 for the nine months term. —Parnell Sentinel.

Church of God Services
Elder Herbert Miles will preach Sabbath morning and evening also Sunday night at the Church of God.



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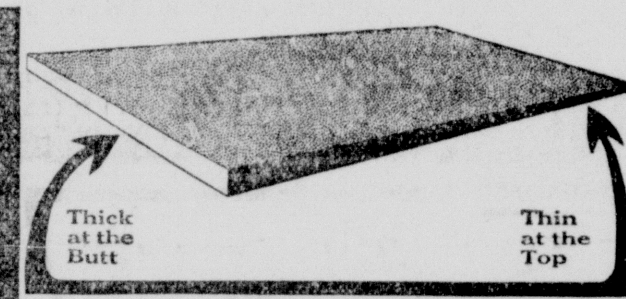
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